

ALLIES ADVANCE IN BLAZE OF BATTLE IN WEST

TERMS FOR HUN AGREED UPON BY ALLIED COUNCIL

Lansing Announces That Armistice Terms Have Been Agreed Upon

GERMANS WILL ACCEPT

Terms To Be Submitted To Germany Immediately—Like Austrian

Washington, D. C., Nov. 4.—Armistice terms to be offered Germany, have been agreed upon unanimously and signed by representatives of the allies and the United States in France. If accepted, they mean surrender and immediate end of the war, leaving final peace terms to the dictation of the victors.

Secretary Lansing made this statement: "According to an official report received this evening the terms of the armistice to be offered to Germany have just been agreed to unanimously and signed by the representatives of the allies and the United States in Paris. The report further states that diplomatic unity has been completely achieved under conditions of utmost harmony."

It is understood the terms are to be submitted to Germany immediately, and that their publication in full will follow shortly.

The statement has been authorized that the drastic conditions under which Austria dropped out of the war today furnish an accurate indication of the nature of the terms to Germany.

Autocracy Is Doomed

Washington, Nov. 5.—With the signing of the armistice with Austria at 3 o'clock yesterday, the autocracy of the Hapsburgs was doomed and official Washington was convinced tonight that the autocracy of the Hohenzollerns will succumb within a few days to terms even more drastic than the humiliating price of Austria's submission to the will of world democracy, which she had sought in vain with Germany to overthrow.

In Washington, even those statesmen most skeptical of negotiated peace expressed gratification and satisfaction with the terms which make Austria bow helplessly before the United States and the allies.

Stern Terms for Germany

When they read the iron bound proposals demanded by the associated powers from Germany's chief ally in the war, they were reassured that the representatives of the war council at Versailles were weaving a web of armistice terms for German autocracy and militarism which will bring the German army to its knees, the German Kaiser to political oblivion and the German people to their senses.

Austria is made militarily impotent in a manner as effective as though she had surrendered unconditionally in the field. Her territory and resources are available to military operation by the allies.

Even should the imperial German government and the Kaiser defy dictation of the victorious powers and seek to fight to a crushing doom, all minds here agree that complete capitulation would be enforced within a comparatively short time.

Leaves Kaiser Hopeless

Austria's surrender, it is agreed, leaves Germany hopeless and, in the opinion of Washington officials, she will sign terms of armistice which will leave her vanquished before the world and a tte mercy of the victorious powers, who will proceed to dictate terms of peace for the world. From the Austrian terms, said an official high in the councils of the American administration, may be drawn a comprehensive idea of what the terms to Germany will be. How these terms will be submitted to Germany and when, has not been disclosed, but the general belief here is that they will not be made public until Germany has received them and acted thereon.

AT CLINICAL CONGRESS.

Dr. Edgar was in Chicago Saturday in attendance at the Clinical Congress held in the Congress hotel. Physicians from all parts of the country and some from Europe were present. The congress was to have been held in New York City, but on account of the influenza epidemic conditions there, was moved to Chicago.

THREE DEATHS IN THIS CITY MONDAY EVE AND EARLY THIS MORN

Pneumonia Continues Ravages Among Citizens Of Dixon

HENRY A. TENNANT

Charles E. Harvey and Gus Falleas Also Answer Last Calls

The Grim Reaper continued his harvest in Dixon last night, taking three citizens: Henry Allen Tennant, Charles E. Harvey and Gus Falleas.

HENRY A. TENNANT

Henry Allen Tennant, of 910 Hennepin Ave., passed away at 5:45 Monday afternoon at his home, where funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. E. C. Lumsden officiating, and with burial at Oakwood cemetery. Mr. Tennant was born at New Milford, Susquehanna county, Pennsylvania, July 16, 1855, and was aged 63 years, three months and 18 days at the time of his passing. He grew to manhood in the town of his nativity, coming west in the spring of 1882, when he established his residence at Lee Center, where he resided until 1899, coming to Dixon in that year. This city continued to be his home until the time of his death. He was married Jan. 4, 1883, to Miss Jane Merritt, of Lee Center.

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WOUNDED SOLDIERS TO TELL OF EXPERIENCES

Lt. O'Hagen and Pvt. Maronde To Tour County For War Work Drive

MEETINGS PLANNED

Lt. J. F. O'Hagen of Chicago, who recently returned from France after being injured at Chateau-Thierry, will deliver a twenty minute address at the J. C. Wadsworth sale about three miles west of Dixon, on Wednesday at 12:30 o'clock p. m., and will also address a mass meeting of the citizens of Dixon from the veranda of the Nachusa Tavern at eight o'clock Wednesday evening.

Mr. O'Hagen was with the American troops during the advance last July, and has a wonderfully interesting address relative to his experiences. He is speaking on behalf of the United War Work drive under the auspices of the State Council of Defense.

On Thursday morning at eight o'clock, a party of workers will leave Dixon accompanied by Lt. O'Hagen and by Private Maronde of Franklin Grove, who has recently returned from the front, and will make a tour of Lee county. They plan to hold meetings as follows:

Amboy, 9:00 o'clock a. m.
Lee Center, 9:45 a. m.
West Brooklyn, 10:45 a. m.
Compton, 11:30 a. m.
Paw Paw, 12:30 p. m.
Lee, 1:30 p. m.
Steward, 2:15 p. m.
Ashton, 3:30 p. m.
Franklin Grove, 4:30 p. m.

Lt. O'Hagen has a great display of relics, such as shells, helmets and gas masks and his experiences are some of the most vivid imaginable.

DIXON YOUTH DIED IN IND.

A telegram received from Daniel McKenney this noon announced the death at Indianapolis at midnight of his brother, Frank, and stated the remains would be brought to Dixon for funeral and burial, arriving some time tomorrow. The young man, who had been working on a railroad out of the Indiana capital, was taken ill with pneumonia a short time ago, and his mother, Mrs. Albertine McKenney, was summoned to Indianapolis Saturday morning. Obituary and funeral announcement will be published later.

TO ATTEND FUNERAL.

City Clerk and Mrs. Blake Grover went to Viola township this morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Grover's uncle, Henry B. Cobb.

MAYBE THIS WILL TAKE THE TASTE FOR WAR OUT OF HIS MOUTH



WAR SUMMARY

By Associated Press Leased Wire
From the Dutch frontier to east of the Meuse river the 200 mile battle line is aflame today as the British, French, Americans and Belgians crush the resistance of the enemy and push on for important gains.

The enemy retirement on the long line is in progress and in the French sector between the Oise and the Aisne the Germans are withdrawing on Marle and Mont Cornet. Field Marshal Haig has taken the strong point of Le Quesnoy and is pressing on Maubeuge; while the Americans are fighting their way across the Meuse river southwest of the rail center of Montmedy.

North and south of Valenciennes the British are continuing their successful push begun Monday. South-east of Valenciennes the British are within 10 miles of Maubeuge and further south they are rapidly pushing through the Mormal forest, where they are but four miles from the railway junction of Aulnoye. South of Mormal forest the British and French are pressing eastward over the virtually level ground toward Avesnes.

From the Oise to the Aisne at Chateau Porcien, the French are maintaining close contact with the enemy moving rearward as the result of the French successes of the last few days.

South of Guise the French first army has advanced northeast of Le Peron and Serre. Further east they have penetrated the formidable Hindenburg line, making an advance of one mile on a five mile front on the west wing of their forward movement. A continuance of the advance here soon will force the Germans to give up the line of the Aisne east and west of Rechel, to which they have clung stubbornly.

American troops on a front of 15 miles along the Meuse from Brieulles north to Pouilly, have succeeded in forcing their way across the river. The Americans are on the west bank of the river north of Stenay and are only four miles from the German main communication line from Sedan to Metz at a point northwest of Chauvenoy. The successful crossing of the Meuse has outflanked the German positions eastward toward the Moselle which protect the important Brier iron fields and important railway supply lines in the region of Montmedy and Conflans. From the Meuse west to the Aisne the Americans are maintaining their pressure against the Germans.

Russ Situation Bad

What appears to be a serious situation may be developing in western Russia. Ruthenian Ukrainian troops are clashing with the Poles and have taken Lemberg, the capital of Galicia and Przemyśl, fortifications in Galicia which were the scenes of sanguinary fighting during the first three years of the war.

Little or nothing of the true state of affairs in Germany is known, owing to the strict censorship. It is known, however, that the demand for the abdication of Emperor William is growing and Bolsheviks are active in many parts of the empire.

AGED HARMON MAN IS DEAD

Edward Fagan, a venerable and highly respected citizen of Harmon, passed away at his home there at 10 o'clock this morning, at the age of 86 years. Mr. Fagan, who was the father of Mrs. John Green and Mrs. Peter Hamill of this city, died as a result of infirmities of old age. Funeral arrangements had not been made at an early hour this afternoon, and they will be announced later.

Later, it was announced that the funeral will be held at 9 o'clock Thursday morning at the Catholic church, Harmon. Mr. Fagan had lived in Lee county 70 years, and is survived by four sons and three daughters, his wife having passed away three years ago.

ELECTION IS PROVING QUIET

Today's general election throughout Lee county had proven unusually quiet up to 2 o'clock this afternoon, the vote cast at that hour being extremely light. However, officials at the election precincts and candidates anticipated that there would be a big influx of voters to the polls later in the afternoon.

Mrs. Warren P. George of Franklin Grove was in Dixon yesterday.

TERMS OF ARMISTICE WITH FOCH

Americans Fight Way Across Meuse at Several Points Today

YANKES CROSS MEUSE

Overcome Stiff Opposition From Machine Guns and Artillery

BULLETIN

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Nov. 5.—The allies have decided that Germany must apply to Marshal Foch, the allied commander-in-chief, for armistice terms, Premier Lloyd George stated in the house of commons today.

BULLETIN

By Associated Press Leased Wire
With the American Army Near Sedan, Nov. 5 (6 P. M.).—The American army has thrown formidable forces across the Meuse from the west bank and the German resistance has broken down to a point of demoralization. The Americans are pushing on toward Stenay. This afternoon the enemy is in full retreat northward. They are offering little opposition and the roads are full of the fleeing enemy. The Americans are pressing close on their heels and are making the German retirement as difficult as possible. The American casualties are light despite the opposition to the crossing of the river.

Germans Punished

By Associated Press Leased Wire
British Headquarters in France, Nov. 5 (Reuters).—The series of battles raging on the west front from Valenciennes to Stenay promise to prove the most stupendous conflict of the war. The Germans yesterday got the worst hammering they ever received.

Besieging Ghent

With the Allied Armies in France and Belgium, Nov. 5.—Allied troops today began the siege of Ghent, already surrounded on virtually three sides. The assault on the city was witnessed by Queen Elizabeth of Belgium and hundreds of her non-combatant citizens.

Belgian, French and American soldiers pushed to the eastern outskirts of the beleaguered city with but light resistance from the enemy, who have apparently evacuated the place.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

With the American Army on the Sedan Front, Nov. 5 (1:15 P. M.).—There is bitter fighting today along the Meuse. American patrols have again succeeded in crossing the river at Brieulles on a pontoon bridge, constructed under fire. The Americans also threw several bridges across at Cleary-Le-Petit and began developing a new line on the heavily wooded and difficult ground east of the river between Cleary and Brieulles on a two and one-half mile front. At other points on this front the Americans are reconnoitering other crossings.

The Germans have blown up the bridge across the Meuse between Laueville on the west bank and the important town of Stenay on the east bank. The town of Pouilly in the bend of the Meuse northwest of Stenay, was captured by the Americans operating west of the Meuse, the west bank of the river now being held in its entirety by the Americans as far north as Pouilly.

The troops crossing to the east bank of the Meuse found bitter opposition in the shape of machine gun and artillery fire. This was overcome, however, and the Americans progressed steadily.

The village of Beaumont, directly west of Pouilly, has been taken by forces advancing from the heights held below the town.

The important town of Stenay, across the Meuse to the southeast, is now half surrounded.

German troops remaining west of

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KANSAS RETURNS SHOW G. O. P. LEAD

EARLY REPORTS SHOW REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES LEADING THREE TO ONE

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 5.—The first reports on the voting in this city as announced by the county boards, showed the Republican candidates to be leading. Thirty-two precincts gave Capper, Republican candidate for U. S. senator, 1,137; Thompson, Democratic candidate for U. S. senator, 429. The same precincts gave Allen, Republican candidate for governor, 1,242; Landsdon, Democratic candidate for governor, 312; Anthony, Republican, for congress, 901; Whitney, Democrat, for congress, 309.

Leading 3 to 1

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Wichita, Kan., Nov. 5.—Six precincts give Mack, Republican, for congress, 317, and Ayres, Democrat, 194. Capper is leading Thompson for United States senator about three to one.

More Figures

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Pittsburg, Kan., Nov. 5.—Four precincts in Crawford county give Capper, Republican, for U. S. senator 130, and Thompson, Democrat, 55. For congress, Campbell, Republican, has 109 and Pile, Democrat, has 72.

REV. BABIN IS COMING HOME

Word received from Rev. H. M. Babin, rector of St. Luke's Episcopal church, who went east a short time ago expecting to go to France to enter Y. M. C. A. work, and who was taken ill with influenza while in the east, is to the effect that he has failed to pass the final severe physical examination requisite for overseas service, and is now en route home.

VOLUNTEER NURSE.

Miss Electa Vail responded nobly to the call for help sent to the W. C. N. D. Saturday night, when she went to the hospital and worked all night.

Joseph Webster spent Saturday in Ashton.

ELECTION RETURNS

Returns of today's election may be obtained by patrons of THE TELEGRAPH by calling this office, telephone No. 5, or Stratton & Covert's cigar store, telephone No. 291, where complete returns will be bulletined by this paper.

Bulletins of election results about the state will also be received by THE TELEGRAPH over its leased Associated Press wire, and will be shown on a screen in front of Stratton & Covert's store.

PLANS FOR TRAINING DISABLED BOYS READY

U. S. Employment Service Ready To Put Scheme Into Operation

POSITIONS CANVASSED

Washington, Nov. 5.—Plans for training and placing in remunerative positions soldiers and sailors maimed in the war worked out by the United States Employment Service and the Federal Board for Vocational Education are ready to be put into operation.

The Employment service has instructed its representatives throughout the country to obtain information that will be helpful in the placement of partially disabled soldiers and sailors. Surveys of labor needs will be made in conference with employers to determine where such men can be used efficiently.

The Board for Vocational Education

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THE WEATHER

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Illinois—Increasing cloudiness and warmer tonight; Wednesday unsettled; probable showers in north and west.

TEACHERS ENTITLED PAY FOR VACATION

State Supt. Issues New Ruling Concerning Salaries Of School Teachers

DURING THE EPIDEMIC

(The following is copied verbatim from the November issue of the Educational Press Bulletin, from the office of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, received in Dixon on Monday, November 4, 1918.)

"With the widespread closing of the schools, the question has been repeatedly raised—Will the teachers have to make up the time lost by closing the schools, or are they legally entitled to their pay?"

Since the time of Newton Bateman, the opinion has been given out by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, that when the Board of Directors, or the Board of Education closes the school, the teachers do not have to make up the time, but when the school is closed by some authority outside of the Board the teacher

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COUNCIL HELD SHORT SESSION

The city commissioners held a short and uneventful meeting this morning, the sole business coming before the body being the payment of bills amounting to \$17, which had not been filed in time for action at last week's meeting, and the granting of a permit to Geo. E. Morris to move a frame building from the Rock Island Road to Ninth street.

ED CAHILL IN ROAD POSITION

Peter Moerschbacher has resigned his position with Durand-Casper Co. and is now awaiting his call to a southern officers' training camp, for service in which he enlisted a week ago. Edward Cahill of this city, who has been with the Prairie Farmer Publishing Co., has taken the place made vacant by Mr. Moerschbacher's resignation.

EVENING TELEGRAPH'S WEEKLY FASHION LETTER

New York, Nov. 1.—In the face of the most critical international conditions, the fashion world is carrying on as usual. News comes from Paris that amidst the bombardment by shells, the modistes and couturiers continue their work and are yielding a tremendous output to the eager, watchful throngs.

What a wonderful spirit this is! And who else could swallow all the sorrows and trials and discomforts of war and still remain smiling on the surface? No other than France.



Fashionable Coatee in Velvet.

Much indeed does civilization owe to this country of countries. Think of the frightful conditions, conditions that would make one give up and despair, but these people merely smile and prosecute their plans, as near normal as possible.

As War Continues, Wool Is Scarcer.

Less and less fabrics of wool are seen in the new models. This is the inevitable outcome of the usage by the armies of all the wool supply available. The prices are enormous and at the present time a smart, luxurious coat is quite as expensive as a fur one. Owing to this fact, many women will possess a fur coat this winter, for they reason that a cloth one is almost as expensive, and fur always looks so much more elegant. Indeed, the acme of smartness and exclusiveness looks as though it might be a combination of cloth and fur.

As a result of the extreme demand for fur, designers in that trade have offered many new and attractive designs in odd and different combinations. The most popular combination is of seal, dyed muskrat and squirrel. These pelts seem to lend to each other all their individual qualities of softness and charm. Nutria is in big demand because of its excellent wearing qualities. Mole, of

course, is beautiful, but that is left for those who may consider the appearance in preference to the durability.

Fur as Trimming.

Sometimes it is on the bottom of the skirt, sometimes hugging the neck, and then again it will attach itself to the end of a tunic or perch at the top of a pocket. Wherever it is, it is there. One must be swathed in fur if one wishes to be placed under the classification of smartness. Bewitching indeed was a seal-trimmed suit of silk duvetyne which assumed the line of the peg-top, and challenged any straight-lined suit which claimed to be more graceful.

In many instances these little coats, that are so popular in fur,



Fur Cloth Appears on Girl's Coat.

have been copied in cloth. The one illustrated here is developed in black velvet and trimmed leniently with fox fur. This might be developed in satin, and with the back in cape effect it would make a fascinating little wrap for evening.

Problem of the Girl's Coat.

The flapper is always a disturbing creature to dress. So much care must be expended that she look graceful, instead of awkward, and smart instead of "frumpy." But with the proper clothes this all disappears, and just as this little girl, any little girl will have all the assurance that comes with the consciousness of being well-dressed. This model illustrated is developed in heavy tweed material and trimmed with fur cloth. It is a suitable model for the older girl and board school Miss.

OHIO

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Pomeroy spent a few days in Chicago last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Pfeiffer who have resided on a farm near Mendota for the past few years, have returned to Ohio to make their home. They will occupy their property on South street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yepsen are visiting at the home of their son, Henry, in Chicago.

Mrs. Sarah McDonald passed away at her home in this city Thursday evening after a brief illness from pneumonia. Her husband and three sons preceded her in death, the youngest son having passed away less than two weeks ago. Mrs. McDonald is survived by her foster-daughter, Mrs. Vernon Lee of Aurora, five grandchildren, two brothers, Edward Doran of Omaha and James Doran of Ohio, her two widowed daughters-in-law and several nieces and nephews. She was about 72 years of age and had been a resident of this place for many years. Funeral services conducted by Rev. Cummings, pastor of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, were held at the home Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

and the remains were laid to rest in St. Mary's cemetery.

Miss Mildred Jackson has resigned her position at the Johnson furniture store and left Saturday for Cedar Rapids, Ia., where she will attend business college.

W. M. Burke has purchased the Henry Kramer stock of clothing and men's furnishings and is holding a closing out sale.

Miss Mayme Anderson is employed in the Kramer meat market during the absence of the proprietor, who is ill with Spanish influenza.

Laurel Kidd of Camp Grant spent Sunday at the home of his father, Rev. L. S. Kidd.

Wayne Milliken of the Great Lakes training station is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. A. A. Spooner and other relatives.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Obel Tuesday, Oct. 29.

G. D. Morton has purchased the Rensburg building on Main street, which was badly damaged by fire about a year ago, which he will repair and remodel and use as a plumbing shop.

Dr. F. M. Banker of Franklin Grove transacted business here Monday.

GOOD WEATHER OVER U. S. FOR ELECTIONS

Charges of Corruption In Some Cities of the State

N. Y. WOMEN VOTING

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Nov. 5.—Generally fair weather prevailed throughout the country today for the election. There was a light rain in the southern New England states and along the New York coast and flurries of light snow in Wyoming and Montana. Elsewhere the sun was bright.

Charge Corruption.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Nov. 5.—Investigators from the office of Hinton Clabaugh, divisional superintendent of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice today were sent to Danville, Paris and Kankakee, Ill., and South Bend, Ind., following telegrams to Mr. Clabaugh in which irregularities in connection with the election were charged.

New York Women Vote.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, Nov. 5.—The state's first election where women may vote began with unfavorable weather in many sections. Reports from some cities indicate that, as in New York City, weather conditions will not deter women from voting. Observers present the opinion that few of the estimated million women voters will fail to cast their ballot.

WITH FEDERAL BANK.
Miss Erin Fane has resigned her position with the W. H. Flemming store, which she has held for six years, and has accepted one with the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago.

TO ATTEND FUNERAL.
John Florscheutz went to Compton today where he attended the funeral of the late H. B. Cobb.

SOCIETY

GUEST FROM STERLING—
Miss Florence Johnson of Sterling, was the guest Sunday of Miss Mabel Manges.

DINED IN GRANDY—
The Misses Winter, Lally, O'Malley and Condon and Mrs. L. E. Edwards motored to Grand Detour last evening and enjoyed dinner at the Sheffield.

DAUGHTER IS GUEST—
Mrs. W. F. Ellis of Canton, Ill., is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Schmucker.

TO MOLINE—
Mrs. Elizabeth Barge Martin will return to Moline tomorrow after a brief visit at her home here.

SUNDAY DRIVE—
The Misses Belle Reed, Frances and Sue Patrick and Edna Hill and John Beavers drove to Moline Sunday where they visited the Misses Elizabeth Barge and Vada Hill, who are in training at the Moline hospital. The two latter joined the party for a drive to Davenport, Rock Island and Iowa City. In the latter city they visited friends attending the state university as members of the Student Army Training Corps. Dinner was had in Davenport.

TO ASHTON—
Mrs. Joseph Webster will go to Ashton tomorrow to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Jennings.

RETURNED FROM VISIT—
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kennedy and family returned Monday from a visit in Ottawa with the Floyd Teachout family.

VISITED IN ASHTON—
Mrs. Lloyd Emmert and daughter, Baby Marian, visited in Ashton Monday.

Mrs. Frank Torgerson, of South Dixon, shopped in Dixon yesterday.

Edw. Antoine of Ambol, were here today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Charters of Ashton are guests at the Nachusa Tavern.

Joseph P. McGinnis and Daniel McKenney spent Sunday in Chicago.

Mrs. Ruth McGinnis, who has been very ill with influenza is improving.

Morris Cushing is improving in health after being ill of influenza.

If you are reading The Telegraph as your soldier boy please look at your last receipt and find out to what date the paper is paid. The government orders that all newspapers must be paid for in advance.

—Reading notices 10c a line in The Telegraph, the oldest paper with the largest circulation of any paper in Le county.

DIXON BOY MENTIONED IN CASUALTY REPORTS

Today's War Department List Gives Name Of Pvt. Thomas McKay

1308 NAMES ON LISTS

Washington, Nov. 5.—The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Forces: Killed in action, 45; died of wounds, 31; died of disease, 37; wounded severely, 80; wounded, degree undetermined, 123; wounded slightly, 319; missing in action, 23. TOTAL, 688. Thirty-four Illinois boys are mentioned in the report, among them Sgt. Ralph Howe, of Freeport, wounded severely.

The first section of today's casualty report, issued for publication this morning, was: Killed in action, 79; died of wounds, 44; died from accident and other causes, 5; died of disease, 71; wounded severely, 130; wounded (degree undetermined), 134; wounded slightly, 165; missing in action, 11; prisoner, 1; Total, 640. Pvt. Thomas McKay, 112 E. Fourth St., Dixon, who is reported slightly wounded, is among the 31 Illinois boys mentioned in this section of the report.

(Editor's note—The Telegraph several days ago published the story of the receipt by Pvt. McKay's parents of word from the war department that he had been slightly wounded.)

SAVE PITS AND SHELLS

Needed in Making Gas Masks—How Boys and Girls Can Do Important War Work

By the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The war department has requested the boys' and girls' clubs of the country to help collect fruit pits and nutshells, the carbon in which is used in making gas masks. Contests have been suggested among the million club members by the United States department of agriculture and the state department colleges, which conduct the club work, to see which member, which club, which district, and which state can deliver the largest amount of material in the shortest time. Each member should try to furnish at least 200 peach pits, or seven pounds of shells—enough material for one mask.

Since more and better carbon is secured from the pits of peaches, prunes and plums than from other sources, boys and girls should make it their special business to see that every home in their communities saves the pits of these fruits. They should also visit community and commercial canneries, hotels, restaurants and bakeries. In addition, seeds should be collected from dates and olives, and shell and whole nuts be saved from hickory nuts, butter nuts, English and native walnuts and hazelnuts. The material may be delivered to the local Red Cross headquarters, which are acting as central stations for collecting and shipping.

Words of Wise Men

Choose the just man. The partial man may not always be partial to you, but the just man is always just.

The great man expects everything of himself; the small man expects everything of others.

A man should never be ashamed to own he has been in the wrong, which is but saying in other words that he is wiser today than he was yesterday.

Denied a right to serve in the army, 100 Colorado Indians are doing their bit by working on the highways. They are building modern roads over the trails blazed by their forefathers.

American Farmers Should Follow Scotland's Plan to Eliminate Food-Eating Rats

The canny Scots of West Perthshire district are living up to their reputation. They have organized in an active campaign to exterminate rats and save the food and property which they waste. They have demonstrated that it is cheaper to kill than to feed rats. According to a report from the American consul at Dundee, which has just been received by the United States department of agriculture, a campaign to exterminate rats in the district mentioned, for which \$1479.41 was appropriated, resulted last year in the killing of 100,000 rats. The board of agriculture appropriated \$486.65 for the campaign. It is said that one rat in the course of 12 months caused damage estimated at \$2.43, and as there were approximately two rats to the acre, the amount of damage done was equivalent to the average amount of rent paid by the tenants of West Perthshire. The campaign has been so successful and the people so pleased with the results that community co-operation to exterminate rats is to be continued another year, according to the report.

American farmers, who have long suffered losses from these food raiders, should follow the example set by this district and organize community campaigns to get rid of rats. In many sections of this country where similar campaigns have been conducted results always have been gratifying.

OBITUARY

HENRY B. COBB.

Henry B. Cobb, of Viola township, Lee county, departed this life at his home at 9:30 p. m., on Saturday, November 2nd, 1918. At 7:00 a. m. on the previous Thursday he suffered a stroke of apoplexy. He did not recover consciousness and his vital forces ebbed until the end. Henry S. Cobb, was a remarkable man possessed of sturdy and enduring qualities. He was born in Tolland, Conn., on November 27, 1832, and would have been eighty-six years of age on his next birthday. He was the eldest child of Daniel and Wealthy (Crandall) Cobb, who were born in Connecticut.

As a youth of sixteen he began life as an employee in one of the numerous cotton mills of New England, working for 50 cents a day. Not satisfied with this small wage and having heard of the fertile prairies of Northern Illinois, he came west in 1852, locating first at LaMoille, in Bureau county. Afterward in the spring of 1856, he came to Lee county, where he had preempted 160 acres of government land and where he has since resided for sixty-two years. On May 15, 1859, he was united in marriage to Miss Ellen C. Beamer, a young woman of sterling qualities, who in a large measure, was responsible for Mr. Cobb's success in life. She preceded her husband in death on May 15, 1912. Six children were born of this union, five of whom remain to mourn the loss of a kind and indulgent father. They are Miss Minnie Cobb and Mrs. Birdie Kelly, who resides on the home farm, Mrs. Lillie Webber, of Compton, Ill., and Mr. George H. Cobb and Mrs. Laura Wirick, of Rochelle, Ill. Mr. Cobb was a man of keen foresight with a marvelous capacity to labor long and well. He early acquired good business habits. As a farmer he recognized the value of keeping his farms renewed and in 1863 he became an extensive feeder of cattle and continued the business for over fifty years. He was one of the first men to ship cattle to the Union Stock Yards, Chicago. As a citizen of Lee county he was often entrusted with important matters, and served as supervisor of Viola township for a number of terms. When the Inlet Swamp Drainage District was first established he was one of the first commissioners and exercised the duties of the office in a wise and efficient manner. In politics he was a Republican. Henry B. Cobb was a man of a pleasing personality, always courteous and cordial in his relations with his fellowmen. He lived a peaceful life possessed of good health and exemplary habits and was one of the last of the early settlers of Lee county.

J. H. Kenneth was a passenger to Chicago this morning.

WRITHAMEL IS HELD TO TRIAL

John Writhamel, who was arrested in Chicago Saturday on the charge of stealing Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps from a fellow employee on the Roy Brooks farm near Harmon, was arraigned in Justice Gannon's court yesterday afternoon, where he waived preliminary hearing. Accordingly, he was held to the January grand jury under bonds of \$700.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Martin M. Billmire to Conrad Pfeiffer wd \$3550 pt lots 6, 7, 8 blk 8 Hick's add, Ashton.

Fred N. Vaughan, to W. M. Mercer qd \$1 whnwq 36; seq 26; pt swa 25, Amboy.

H. C. Reed to John O. Edens wd \$350 pt wh lots 1, 2, 3 blk 8 Nelson and pt Bassett st adj.

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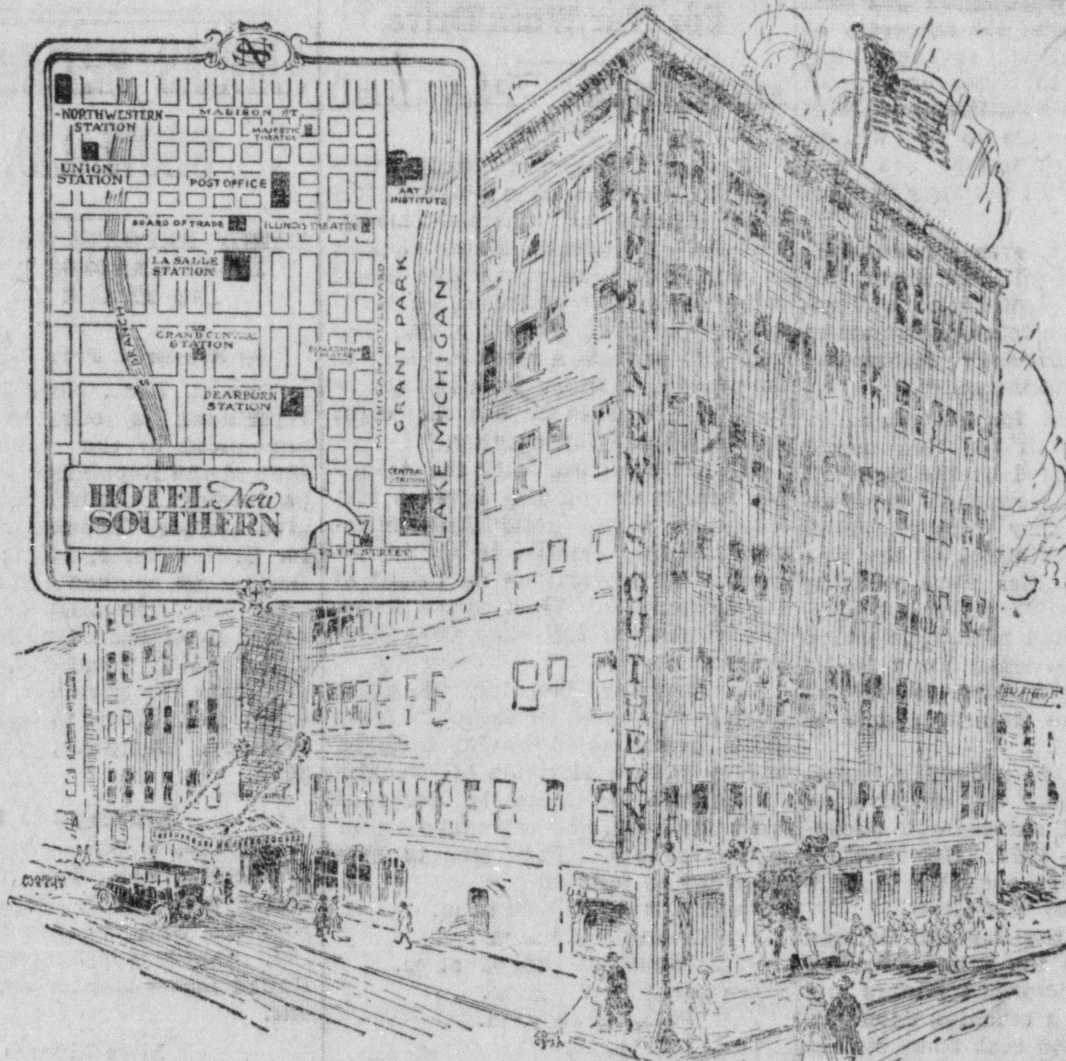
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SOCIETY

COMING EVENTS

Wednesday
Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary, at Y. M. C. A.

Thursday
M. E. Foreign missionary, Mrs. M. E. Grose.
St. Paul's Aid, Mrs. A. R. Powell, 1716 W. Second st.
Inter Nos Circle, Mrs. Lewis Drummond.

Friday
Thursday Reading Circle, Mrs. A. I. Corbin.

FROM TAMPICO—

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bennett of Tampico, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Bennett.

RETURNED TO NEW YORK—

Hugh Duffy, army field clerk at Governor's Island, N. Y., has returned to New York after spending a fifteen-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Duffy, of May court.

TO CORNELL COLLEGE—

Clyde Emmert of the S. A. T. C., of Cornell college, returned Sunday to Mount Vernon, Ia., after a brief furlough at home.

TO HOSPITAL—

Miss Margaret McCulloch, R. N., who has been on duty at the Victor Jones home at Oregon, has returned to the Dixon hospital.

CHICKEN DINNER—

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Floto, of Amboy, entertained with a chicken dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Henry Floto and daughter, Miss Violet, and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Brink of Dixon.

WAS WEEK-END GUEST—

Miss LaFerne Richardson was a week end guest of Miss Mary Sutton at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. N. King of Nachusa. On Thursday evening Miss Sutton entertained with a Halloween and slumber party for Miss Richardson.

WERE DINNER GUESTS—

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keyes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lievan, Mrs. J. H. Lievan and Miss Josephine Lievan were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCleary at dinner Sunday.

SUNDAY GUESTS—

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Lyons, of Amboy, were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Loftus.

FROM ALASKA—

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Closs and son, of Ketchikan, Alaska, are here for a few weeks visit with Mr. Closs's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Closs, 813 W. First st.

VOLUNTEER COOKING NEEDED—

The committee of women under the Red Cross and Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense, caring for families ill of influenza, seeks more volunteers to do cooking for the sick. The food, when prepared, will be called for by the motor corps. Telephone 34. Those who have dishes used in the sending of these foods and have not secured them are asked to call at the rooms of the Council of Defense for them soon.

TO GENERAL SYNOD—

Dr. F. D. Altman will leave Wednesday for Washington, D. C., and New York City. In the former city he will visit his daughter, Miss Josephine, in the latter he will attend a convention of the Lutheran General Synod, which is meeting in connection with the General Council of Lutheran Churches and the United Synod of the South to unite in forming the United Lutheran Church of America. These three bodies comprise a church membership of 2,000,000 baptized and 1,000,000 confirmed members, or about one-third of the Lutheran constituency in America. Dr. Altman will be gone two weeks.

Mrs. Altman leaves this evening for Kansas City and Leavenworth, Kan., where she will visit her two daughters, Mrs. H. P. Shepherd and Mrs. Percival Reed.

VISITED MOTHER—

August Krug and daughter, Miss Helen, of Mendota, spent Sunday, returning to Mendota Monday, with the former's mother, Mrs. Sophia Krug.

Y. M. C. A. AUXILIARY—

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will hold its regular monthly meeting at the "Y" at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon. Officers are requested to be present, in particular.

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THE WIFE

By JANE PHELPS

MRS. CLAYBORNE DECIDES TO PROLONG HER VISIT

CHAPTER LXXXVI.

Ruth was surprised at her aunt's attitude. Surprised and pleased. She had expected she would be so opposed to her going to work, that it might make her visit unpleasant. She welcomed the change without, in the least, appreciating the cause. Her aunt had come North with the sole intention of seeing if she couldn't persuade her niece to give up her work and return South with her. Her meeting with Arthur Mandel, her quick appreciation of his feelings toward Ruth, had caused her to change her mind, and also to desist from disparaging remarks about women who went out into the world and worked.

In general, she had in no wise changed her deep-rooted opinions or dismissed her prejudice against women working outside of the home. But her clever wit had seen at once that for Ruth to continue, was in time to become discontented with Brian, and to realize Mandel's superiority—at least she persuaded herself that this would happen. Not that she disliked Brian Hackett for any particular thing he had done; but because of his failure to succeed financially, she looked upon him as almost a nonentity, one not to be considered in her plans.

When Brian heard that Mrs. Clayborne was to extend her visit, he groaned inwardly. He was not unaware of her attitude toward him, and although he resented it, he did not allow himself to show that he did. She was a relative of Ruth's, almost the only one she had. He would be as gracious as he could for Ruth's sake. But the very next day he called Mollie King up and asked her to lunch with him, and confided to her sympathetic ears the way he felt because of his inability to be with her as often as he had been of late.

"I shall have to walk a crack while the old lady is here!" he exclaimed. "She's as sharp as a steel trap. No one could put much over on her. And she'd be sure to make trouble if she thought I as much as spoke to another woman. Ruth isn't at all like her," he explained, flushing a little because of what he had said, "not a bit. She never has asked me not to see my old friends—not that it would do her any good if she did," he added, "she does as she pleases. I do the same. But, you see, this aunt brought Ruth up. She's as rich as mud. But for all the good it does us, she might as well have nothing. What she has sticks like mud, too—sticks to her."

HUSBAND OF DIXON WOMAN DIED MONDAY

CAPT. HUGH M. PRICE, SON-IN-LAW OF MRS. HORACE STREET, DEAD.

Mrs. Horace B. Street has received word that her son-in-law, Capt. Hugh M. Price, died suddenly yesterday at Portsmouth, Va., of tuberculosis, following a severe attack of pleurisy. Interment will be made on Thursday at Bloomington, Ill., the former home of Capt. Price. Although he had enlisted and received his commission, Capt. Price was prevented by illness from going into the active service of his country. He was a graduate of the University of Illinois, where he made the acquaintance of his wife, who is also a graduate.

FRIDAY LAST DAY TO CHANGE

To the Bank or Trust Company addressed:

The Secretary of the Treasury today made the following announcement:

"The privilege of converting four percent bonds of the First Liberty Loan converted and four percent bonds of the Second Liberty Loan into four and a quarter percent bonds expires on November eighth, 1918, and cannot under existing law be extended. The Treasury has done all in its power to call the attention of bond-holders to the existence of this valuable privilege and the date of its expiration. It is safe to assume that upon the expiration of the conversion privilege that fact will reflect itself unfavorably in the market price of unconverted four percent bonds which have heretofore been maintained substantially on a parity with the converted four and a quarter percent bonds by the existence of the privilege of conversion. The Treasury now asks the newspapers of the United States, bankers, brokers and others to do what they can to bring these facts before the attention of the bond-holders."

SINDLINGER TO WASHINGTON

Harvey Sindlinger will leave next Monday as a private in the aeronautics service, for Washington, D. C. He is a limited service man, and will be inducted by the local board of Lee county.

Not that I want it for myself, but had she not been such a tight-wad, Ruth would not have gone to work."

"She went to work, then, because she wanted more than you could give her?" Mollie asked. She wondered what Ruth expected. Brian seemed to have enough money to do lots of things the rest of the crowd couldn't do. He must be making money. But some women never were satisfied.

"Of course! She had been used to maids to wait on her, butlers to pass her food, and all sorts of things like that. The flat we could afford, and the one maid, didn't appeal to her." Brian forgot that they had no maid at all until Ruth took her position, and then paid for one—at least, he forgot to mention it to Mollie.

"Poor Brian!" and her hand crept across the table and rested for a moment upon his. The sympathetic gesture affected Brian almost to tears. Mollie was such a good sort! she understood a fellow. "I should think almost anyone would be happy with you even if you couldn't give them all they wanted," she said consolingly.

"A loaf of bread and me, didn't appeal to Ruth. I don't blame her, mind you, but it makes it darned lonely, especially when she is away." Why he should be lonely, when she was not at home (inasmuch as she never had left him save when out of town), he did not explain.

"Of course it does! Men always want their women folks at home when they get there. It isn't quite fair, tho, Brian. You men think you can stay out as much as you please; but none of you want us to do so."

"A woman's place is in her home." He returned so almost savagely that Mollie laughed a rippling little laugh and then told him to pay the check and go back to work.

Brian did as he was told. He loved these little domineering ways of Mollie's; so different from Ruth's desire to defer to him. Mollie bossed him so prettily.

"I can't take my lesson tonight," he told her as they left the restaurant.

"No?"

"That aunt is going to the opera and I have to act as escort." Brian knew that the seats had been sent by Mandel, but he had no intention of taking Mollie into his confidence on that subject.

"My, but you are the swells!" Mollie replied.

"Have to be when the old lady is around." Had the "old lady" heard, she would have had further cause to dislike Brian.

(To be continued)

SOLDIERS' LETTERS

FROM FRED VAUGHAN
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Vaughan have received from France the following letter from their son, Musician Fred S. Vaughan, who was formerly employed in The Telegraph office:

France, Oct. 5, 1918.
Dear Mother and All:
Will try to write you a few lines today. I just wish you could enjoy the beautiful weather that we are having here. The sun is so bright an everything is so green and nice. It is just about like it is at home in July.

We are working harder than ever, only it don't seem so hard as everything is new around here. I have eaten so many grapes and fresh figs that I can't see. The fruit is plentiful around here and the people give you all you can eat. We were out for a hike this morning and the people stopped us at one place and told us to go and take all we could eat. We sure did, too, as we didn't get any breakfast. We didn't get to the mess place in time for any, so we lost out.

We were all about dead last night from walking and playing. We were out playing at the different companies in our regiment and they are scattered out around the country for 20 miles. We played at one French chateau yesterday that was built in 1309. It is being used as a hospital now. It was built long before America was discovered. It surely is interesting to go around one of those old places. I surely am enjoying myself, even with all the work.

I have written several times before but don't know if you have ever got any of them. The address is changed now. Address all my mail the same as the address given below. Will let you know if it changes again. They seem to change it every day.

How is everything at home now? Good, I hope. Say hello to all my friends around home. Tell them all to have a good square meal waiting for me when I get home as I will be able to eat everything.

There isn't much more to write about, so I will close for this time. Don't worry about me but write often and tell me all the news.

Love to all,

FRED.

Musician Fred Vaughan,
342 Reg. Inf. Hdq. Co.,
A. P. O. No. 916, A. E. F.

MISS MARY HOYT WIBORG



The courageous work being done by Miss Mary Hoyt Wiborg behind the fighting lines in France in helping the wounded by nursing has come to the notice of the public, through communications received from abroad. During the great Marne battle, while she was serving with the Y. M. C. A., she aided in the treatment of several hundred men. Miss Wiborg is the daughter of Mrs. Frank Wiborg of New York and Newport.

TERMS OF ARMISTICE

(Continued from page one.)

the Meuse began to flee across the river early today along the line to the north and south of Stenay. After destroying the bridges from Stenay to Laneville the Germans opened the locks and flooded the river to the width of two-thirds of a mile.

Berlin Claims Check
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Berlin, Nov. 5.—Strong attacks by American troops east of the Meuse broke down, says the German official army report. Tentative thrusts by the Americans west of the Moselle had a similar result, it is declared.

Enormous Booty
Washington, Nov. 5.—Austrian prisoners captured by the Italian forces before the commencement of the armistice, are estimated now at 500,000, and the booty taken includes 250,000 horses.

An official dispatch from Rome today stated that in the final Austrian drive the army of the Trentino alone took over 150,000 prisoners.

Says Foch Has Terms
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Nov. 5.—Diplomatic officials here believe that the terms of an armistice for Germany which have been signed by the United States and the allies at Paris are in the hands of General Foch for presentation to the German commander on the west front.

So far as is known, there is no official explanation of the method which has been determined on for acquainting the Germans with the conditions under which they may surrender and end the war.

Military men here feel certain that the conditions which will be imposed upon Germany will be no less drastic than those which paralyzed Austria's war making machinery on land and sea and compelled the evacuation not only of occupied territory but of part of her own soil.

THINK HUNS WILL ACCEPT

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Nov. 5.—In sending the news that the allies have agreed on armistice terms for Germany the Times' Paris correspondent says that with the allied successes on the west front there is little doubt but that Germany will accept the terms.

SAY WANT MORE WAR

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, Nov. 5.—(Delayed)—Demonstrations were held before the Bismarck monument in Berlin Sunday in favor of a continuance of the war and resolutions were passed protesting against the acceptance of a humiliating peace, according to a Copenhagen dispatch quoting the Tagblatt of Berlin.

LOST THUMB IN ACCIDENT

A. N. Schumaker cut his left hand thumb while using a saw on Saturday at the Dixon Casket Company where he is employed, necessitating its amputation to the first joint later at the Dixon hospital. The injured member is healing nicely.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Ford touring car; 5-passenger Pullman, 5 passenger Auburn and 7-passenger Jeffery with winter top. C. E. Mossholder, 120 E. First St., Phone 1007. 25613

FOR RENT—Office rooms, center of city, light and pleasant. Hot water heat, over O. H. Martin's store. Very desirable, moderate rental. Geo. C. Loveland. 25613

WANTED—Housekeeper. Apply to Michael Duffy, 450 Chestnut St. 25613*

FOR SALE—5 Plymouth Rock cockerels; Rouen ducks and Toulouse geese, both sexes; Mammoth brown turkey toms, this week only. Mrs. W. W. Shippert, Dixon, Ill., R. 8, phone 32220. 25613

LOST—Ladies black patent leather hand purse. Please leave at this office. 25614

FOR SALE—Two-seated surrey, phaeton, single harness, Singer sewing machine, Little Wonder gas cook stove. C. A. Johnson, Adm. Phone R811. 25613*

FOR RENT—6 room house, 529 Bradshaw St., \$9.00 month. Also modern 4 room bungalow \$14.00. C. A. Johnson. Phone R811. 25613*

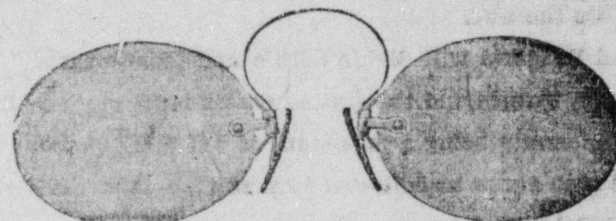
WANTED—Position by experienced graduate stenographer. Address J-20, care this office. 25616

FOR SALE—High-grade Holstein bull, 2 years old. Phone L-31. R. W. Eicholz. 25616

DEKALB MEN IN FATAL SMASHUP

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Belvidere, Ill., Nov. 5.—Oscar Anderson and Herman, both of DeKalb, were killed early today when an Illinois Central train hit their motor truck near Colvin Park.

EYE AILMENTS



Seventy-five per cent of people have abnormal vision, and only 25 per cent wear glasses to correct the defects, the other 50 per cent suffer from serious troubles. These have a reflection on other bodily functions, causing headaches, indigestion, dizziness, and many other ailments. Every person should make it a point to find out whether his or her eyes are normal or not. We can do this for you people—do it accurately and scientifically. Better call and have us examine your eyes. Dixon's exclusive optical shop.

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Clean out the excess acid from your stomach—it creates poisons that drag you down, rob you of physical power and vitality, make you sickly, weak and unfit.

It's just excess acid—superacidity—that's ailing you. Learn what it must mean to have in your stomach excess acidity so powerfully destructive as to be able to create almost any ailment. For years dentists have been telling you that it's acid that eats off the hard enamel of the teeth and decays them. Think, then, of how much easier it must be for an excess amount of acid to play havoc with the delicate organization of the stomach. Just imagine how one must feel—how weak, unfit, tired, run down and sickly—when acid-stomach gains control. Also, what small chance one has of the recovery of robust health, happiness or success, if this acid is permitted to remain, creating greater and ever greater broods on your health and strength day after day.

You must remove the excess acid if you want perfect health and strength.

Health that knows no aches or pains anywhere, that gives life a new zest and makes it really worth while. What unspeakable joy it is to have health like that! How you live every minute of the day! How soundly you sleep at night and how refreshed you feel in the morning! How keenly you relish your meals—with what enthusiasm and bounding energy you plunge into the day's work whether it calls for muscular activity or mental keenness—or both!

That is the kind of health we all want and should have. It is your heritage. So don't let an acid-stomach deprive you of your health. Don't let it hold you back. Take the superacidity—acid-stomach—out of your system and back comes health, strength, vitality. Why? Because, by getting rid of the excess acid, you will be able to get the full strength out of the food you eat.

Some people think an acid-stomach merely causes indigestion, dyspepsia, bloating, heartburn, etc. That is a grave mistake. You simply have no idea of the long train of physical ills and awful human suffering that are directly traceable to acid-stomach. Rheumatism, Gout, Sciatica, Cirrhosis of the Liver, Biliousness, Anemia, Auto-intoxication, Intestinal Congestion, Severe Headache, Insomnia, Nervousness, Mental Depression, Melancholia, Dizziness, Heart Trouble—yes, even Cancer, Ulcer and Cancer of the Stomach—all of these disorders can find their original source in that one condition—acid-stomach—superacidity.

So often you have heard the remark: "I've taken all sorts of tonics and medicines and tried many different doctors but nothing seems to help me." About nine times out of ten people making such a remark suffer from acid-stomach. Remove that excess acid and the results are truly wonderful. Health and strength return almost like magic.

You can now rid your stomach of its excess acid with a wonderful modern remedy called EATONIC which literally wipes it out. It does the work easily, speedily and thoroughly. It makes the stomach pure, sweet, cool and comfortable. It helps you get full strength out of every mouthful of food you eat; and unless you DO get full strength from your food you cannot enjoy robust, vigorous health.

Try EATONIC and see how quickly it banishes the immediate effects of acid-stomach—bloating, heartburn, belching, food-repeating, indigestion, etc. See too, how quickly your general health improves—how much more easily you take in eating—how much more easily your food is digested—how soundly you sleep—how nervousness and irritability disappear.

It is so easy to get this help—and it costs so little. So why suffer another hour when sure, quick relief is at hand? Everywhere people who have used EATONIC testify to its power to bring quick relief. The testimonials of some of these people are so enthusiastic and tell of such remarkable results as to be almost unbelievable.

If you are one of those who have "tried everything," but in spite of it are still lacking in physical strength and vigor, begin at once to take EATONIC. Don't put it off. Get back your physical and mental punch. Have the power and energy to work with vim. Enjoy the good things of life. Learn what it means to fairly bubble over with health. Like thousands of others, you will say that you never dreamed it possible that such a wonderful change for the better could be brought about so quickly.

So get a big box of EATONIC from your druggist today. We authorize him to guarantee EATONIC to please you and you can trust your druggist to make this guarantee good. If it fails in any way, take it back—he will refund your money. If your druggist does not keep EATONIC write to us and we will send you a big 50c box. You can send us the 50c after you receive it. Address H. L. Kramer, President, Eaton Remedy Company, Cor. Wabash Ave. and 11th St., Chicago, Ill.

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KEEP THESE IN MIND

If there is anyone who is disposed to let his heart soften toward Germany because of her peace drive, let him remember what Germany set out to do when she started the war, and what Germany demanded when she thought she was winning the war.

Germany's demands were, perhaps, never more clearly stated than by Count Roon, member of the Prussian upper house and Pan-German junker when the German fortunes were at the high-tide of their success. Here are the demands:

Germany is entitled to the following terms because of its strength, and until they are realized, there should be no armistice:

Annexation of Belgium. Annexation of the entire Flanders coast, including Calais. Annexation of the Briey and Longwy basins and the Toul, Belfort and Verdun regions eastward.

Restitution to Germany of all her colonies, including Kiaochow.

Great Britain must cede to Germany such naval bases and coaling stations as Germany designates.

Great Britain must give Gibraltar to Spain, cede its war fleet to Germany, give Egypt and the Suez canal to Turkey.

Greece must be re-established under former King Constantine, with frontiers as before the war.

Austria and Bulgaria will divide Serbia and Montenegro.

Great Britain, France and the United States must pay all of Germany's war costs, the indemnity being a minimum of \$45,000,000,000.

They must also agree to deliver raw materials immediately.

France and Belgium must remain occupied at their expense until these conditions are carried out.

Keep these in mind when Germany asks for "a peace of justice."

AMERICAN CHIVALRY

This story of the heroism of unknown wounded soldiers, as told by an American ambulance driver recruited by the Red Cross, is told by William S. McNutt in a story in Collier's Weekly.

"It got my goat," the driver said. "I had four couches (wounded who had to lie down) in the bus; three guys with badly fractured legs—one of 'em had a shattered hip—and the fellow that was bleeding from the mouth a bit when they put him in. But he thought he'd be all right, so I came along. The three fracture cases were yelling when they were put into the ambulance, and whenever we'd go over any kind of a bump they'd scream, so I was just easing along as slow as I could. I'd been crawling along like that for nearly an hour when I heard a knock on the window behind me. I opened it, and found the fellow who'd been bleeding from the mouth, in a horrible shape.

"'I'm bleeding to death, Buddy,' he said. 'Get me to a doctor, quick.'

"The nearest doctor's Paris,' I told him. 'And if I open 'er up, these fellows with fractured legs—what about it, fellows?'

"This boy's got to get to a doctor; let 'er go,' the three of 'em said.

"So I threw her wide open and came into Paris hell-bent. I left the fellow who was bleeding, at one hospital, and had to take the three others to another. After I left the fellow who'd been bleeding so badly it struck me all of a heap that all that awful ride not one of those three fellows had so much as uttered a moan. As soon as they found out that I had to get in quick with this chap, they shut up tight, and not a word from one of them all the way in.

"That got my goat."

TERMS THE AMERICAN PEOPLE DEMAND

The band of four robber nations that, unprovoked, four years ago, plunged the world into bloody conflict, is surrounded, and one after the other the members of the band are falling into the hands of the avenger.

For four years these conspirators against peace and civilization have employed every inhuman agency of lust, thievery, and murder, to terrify and to pierce with sorrow millions of hearts. With such a crew of cut-throats there is no place for negotiation.

With respect to terms, the American people have made up their minds unalterably what they want. They want unconditional surrender without negotiation.

And they want Germany crushed so that she can never rise again to curse the world with war. This would mean disarmament, surrender of fleets, complete abolition of militarism, and punishment for all the crimes of the war. It would mean full reparation for reparable damages, complete restitution of plunder stolen, release of subjugated peoples, and vast indemnities as retribution for damages which cannot be repaired—to be paid partly in cash and partly in annuities secured by liens upon the wealth of the nation and of the German people.



When a feller is called out o' town for a day he makes it an excuse for neglectin' nine hundred different things. Th' Slaty Holler Debatin' Club met last night an' resolved that it was harder t' git along on a 1914 salary than in a 1880 stiff hat.

CITY IN BRIEF

—If you are having trouble with your feet try a box of Healo. The most wonderful foot remedy on the market. 2461f

Atty. W. L. Leech of Amboy was a professional visitor in Dixon Monday.

—Beautiful, glossy, healthy hair for those who use Parisian Sage. Get a bottle of this delightful hair invigorator from Rowland Bros., on guarantee of satisfaction or money back.

Dr. H. A. Bremer of Ashton transacted business here yesterday.

—Help Win the war. Use Koal Ekonomizer. Reduces ashes, soot, cinders. Saves coal. One test 40 per cent. Potter & Co., 599 Mulberry St., Des Moines, Ia. 25516*

Deputy Sheriff Schoenholz and County Clerk Fred Dimick made a tour of the county yesterday, delivering election supplies to the judges of election.

Save your tin foil and collapsible tubes for the Red Cross. Deposit them in baskets placed in front of the different stores.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McWethy have received word of the serious illness of their son, George, who is in a southern training camp.

—Have you looked at that little yellow tag on your Telegraph.

—Miss Hamblock, chiropodist, will be at Miss Blackburn's Shampoo Parlors Tuesday, Nov. 4.—Call phone 881 for appointments.

Frank Burke, who last week purchased the B. F. Snyder ice cream manufactory in this city, was here yesterday arranging to take possession the last of the week.

—We are the home of Zephyr Flour, having sold it first in Dixon. Each and every sack positively guaranteed. Bread, per loaf, 9c & 14c; evap. milk, per can 15c; Baldwin apples, pk. 50c; nice turnips, pk. 20c; best grade raisins, pk. 15c; pancake flour, pk. 15c; fancy red salmon, lb. can 30c; best grade corn and peas, can 16c; good pork and beans, can 15c; starch, lb. 10c; soap, bar, 6c; matches, box 6c. We pay the highest price for strictly fresh eggs. We deliver free.

TETRICK'S GROCERY. Phone 109.

Miss Myrtle Rice is visiting friends and relatives in Chicago.

Mayor Fred N. Vaughan of Amboy was a visitor in Dixon today on business with the State Council of Defense.

Geo. Fleuhr, superintendent of the I. N. U. at Sterling, was a business visitor here today.

Mr. and Mrs. VanDevender of Oregon are guests at the Albert Scholl home.

Wilbur N. Phillips was here from Nelson today.

Lieut. Frank Hogan writes to friends in Dixon that the success of the Fourth Liberty loan makes the Yankee soldiers in France feel very happy. He says that it is a great source of gratification to the boys over there to know that the folks back home are backing them up to the limit.

White paper for pantry shelves and bureau drawers, 1c a sheet, at this office.

MRS. SCOTT IS BETTER.

Reports from the hospital this afternoon were to the effect that Mrs. R. H. Scott, who has been there for treatment, was some improved.

MUCH IMPROVED.

Miss Martha Meppin, who has been quite ill at the hospital, was able to sit up yesterday afternoon for a time.

Horticultural Points

APPLES WILL BE PLENTIFUL

Increase in Barreled Crop More Than Makes Up for Decrease in Boxes —New York Gains.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Commercial apples will be more plentiful this year than in 1917. This prospect is more especially true for the barreled crop than for the entire commercial crop, because the boxed crop of California and the Pacific northwest will be below that of 1917. Based on July conditions, the prospective commercial apple crop has the promise of 25,711,000 barrels (boxes being expressed in terms of barrels), or 15 per cent above 1917. The increase of the crop that is marketed in barrels is estimated at 34 per cent, while for the boxed crop a decrease of 17 per cent is indicated.

Distinctive apple producing regions are known to the trade and are becoming known to the general public. This year, the most prominent region for barreled apples is western New York, where a commercial crop of 5,320,000 barrels is indicated, compared with last year's crop of only 1,118,000 barrels. Next in prominence, this year, is the Shenandoah-Cumberland district,



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extending from Virginia through Maryland into Pennsylvania. The indicated crop is 1,973,000 barrels, a slight relative gain over 1917. The western Michigan crop, this year, will increase to 756,000 barrels from 350,000 in 1917, according to the July estimate; the crop of the Champlain district of New York and Vermont, to 174,000 barrels from 120,000 in 1917; of the Rome Beauty district in southern Ohio, to 258,000 barrels from 122,000 in 1917.

Other barreled apple districts decline in prospect. The New England Baldwin belt declines from 750,000 barrels in 1917 to 651,000 in 1918; the Hudson Valley, from 1,074,000 barrels to 826,000; the Piedmont district of Virginia, from 485,000 barrels to 371,000; southern and western Illinois, from 1,300,000 barrels to 936,000; the Ozarks, from 793,000 barrels to 546,000, and the Missouri river region, from 1,289,000 barrels to 882,000.

The commercial apples that are marketed in barrels will amount to 18,901,000 barrels this year, it is estimated, against 13,856,000 barrels in 1917, and of this production 29 per cent will come from western New York and 33 per cent from that district and the Shenandoah-Cumberland district combined.

GIVE RASPBERRY GOOD CARE

It is Well to Remember That Old Canes Should Be Cut Out at End of Fruiting Season.

In the care and management of raspberry plantations, it is well to remember that the old canes should be cut out as soon as the fruiting season is over for the next year's crop is borne on the new wood and the old canes only tend to spread various fungous diseases. Another thing, where anthracnose is prevalent, it is advisable to start a new plantation about every third year, setting clean, disease-free plants.

PROPER PRUNING OF TREES

To Secure Low, Broad-Spreading System Begin at Top to Admit Sun and Air From Above.

Begin at the top in pruning a tree to secure a low, broad-spreading branching system, with open center, to admit sunlight and air from above. Do not remove strong lower limbs if they can be given sufficient light from above. Aim to secure bearing branches throughout the main body of the tree. If the tree is shaded by too much growth at the top, the inner and lower twigs will weaken and die instead of bearing fruit.

TO TAKE EXAM.

Charles Kling went to La Grange this morning where he is to take his physical examination for entrance into the tank corps, in which he recently enlisted.

PLANS FOR TRAINING DISABLED SOLDIERS

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tion will maintain in each hospital for the treatment of wounded, a representative who will confer with disabled men before their discharge from the hospital. If a man desires to continue in the occupation he was engaged in before the war, and is fitted for it, help will be given him in finding work in that calling; should his injuries make it necessary for him to seek a new means of livelihood, he will be advised of the lines in which he can enter without finding his injuries a handicap and a course of training in the work to be adopted will be offered. Every effort will be made to assist disabled men toward that occupation in which they are most interested and for which, because of aptitude and experience on one hand and handicaps on the other, they are best suited.

Local Boards to Help.

After the vocational adviser has assisted the recuperating patient to choose a suitable occupation, his case, with full information, will be referred to a local board in his community made up of two representatives of the district employment office, one a physician, two representative of labor. The board will see to his training, and while it is in progress he will be supported by the government and given the same allotment and family allowance for dependents as when he was in military or naval service. His expenses, in

the main, will be covered from the compensation provided in the vocational rehabilitation act.

Manufacturing establishments, offices and farms will be used to give preliminary training, especially for those occupations not yet regarded as being within the school or college field. Afterward, through the Employment Service, a permanent suitable position will be found for him. The Board will keep in touch as friend and adviser for such period after employment is found as may be necessary to complete his reestablishment as a civilian worker.

A canvass recently made at the Ford Motor plant at Detroit, showed the following:

Jobs that could be filled by legless men, 670; by one-legged men, 2,637; by one-armed men, 715; by totally blind men, 10. The time estimated to become efficient at these jobs is estimated for 1,743, one day or less; for 1,461, one day to one week; for 251, one week to two weeks; for 543, one month to one year; for 43, one to six years.

IMPROVING NICELY.

Mrs. Frank Stephan is reported to be improving very satisfactorily from her recent illness.

D. L. Miller of Sterling was a visitor in Dixon today.



OFFICERS TO MEET BOARDS

Maj. Boise of the Provost Marshal General's office at Washington, and Maj. Dodson, Medical Aid to the governor of Illinois, will be in Dixon Thursday evening to meet the members of the local and medical advisory board of Lee and Whiteside counties, the members of which have been ordered to attend the meeting which will be held in the County Court room at 8 o'clock.

P. T. Sullivan of Harmon visited friends here today.

7 Ponies FREE



Here are seven ponies in a pen. By drawing three straight lines you can put each one in a pen by himself. If you can do this I will tell you how you can earn one of these beautiful ponies and a lot of spending money besides. I have already given ponies to 50 boys and girls and am going to give away 7 more.

You Can Have One

Send your answer to the puzzle and I will send you 2000 free votes toward the pony. Send a 3 cent stamp and I will send you a copy of our Popular Home Magazine. Every boy and girl should earn some money now and this is your chance to earn several dollars and get a beautiful pony also.

Hurry up and write me today.

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\$47.50 and \$55 Suits for \$39.50

Unusually attractive models in Dressy Chiffon Broadcloth, Suede Velours and Silvertone Cloth—some braid trimmed—now \$39.50.

\$65 and \$75 Suits for \$47.50

Suits of rich soft fabrics of Velour-de-laine, Broadcloths and Velveteen, —youthful models especially becoming styles—it's an opportunity for economy—now \$47.50.

A Sale of Crepe-de-Chine Blouses



At prices that will make it well worth while to provide now for future needs.

If to spend judiciously is Thrift,—then surely it is Thrift to buy now one or more of these splendid wear well Crepe-de-Chine Blouses. Just think of it—the prices are practically the same as those prevailing a year ago on blouses of like character.

These are real quality Blouses, the materials are exceptionally fine, the workmanship is of a high order, pattern cut full and generous, styles are neat and dignified—such as are in keeping with the times,

Priced at \$3.95 and \$5.00.

The Sale of these Blouses is confined to just one store in every city.

O. H. Martin & Co.
Dixon, Illinois

Everyone His Own Chauffeur at N. Y. Zoological Park



To release the men, who heretofore furnished propulsion for wheel chairs, so that they might find essential work in helping the government, the New York Zoological park has installed the first of a fleet of electric storage battery-driven chairs. Now, every visitor to the gardens may have the pleasure of driving one of these chairs.

The chairs will be installed on all board walks at summer resorts and in hospitals for the use of invalids.

FATAL BURNS TO BABY, GIRL

Freeport, Nov. 5.—Placing a celluloid comb in the door of a stove proved fatal to Lillian Hill, the eighteen months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hill of Lancaster township. The child died at the Emergency hospital at 8 o'clock last evening. On Friday afternoon the infant had been playing with the comb when she thrust it into the door of the stove, at her parents' home. The comb ignited, the flames spreading to the child's clothing and

hair and burning her severely. She sustained burns about the head and hands and a greater portion of her clothing was burned from her body. She was taken immediately to the hospital but the burns were so severe that the child could not survive. The child's parents did not notice what had happened until it was too late to save her from being burned.

MAJOR OWENS HOME.

Maj. E. B. Owens, now with the U. S. Medical corps at Columbus Barracks, Ohio, is home for a short visit.

PRaises FIGHTING OF ILLINOIS BOYS

Chicago News Correspondent Writes of Thirty-third Division

COMPANY "G" THERE

Junius B. Wells, war correspondent for the Chicago Daily News, writes the following concerning the heroic work of the Prairie Division, composed of Illinois troops, among them the old Sixth I. N. G., of which Co. G was a part:

With the American Army at the Front, Nov. 2.—For two weeks the 129th infantry of the 33d division, which is composed of Illinois national guard troops, lay in little "fox holes" dug on the top of a hill outside the apex of Dannevois, a little village on the east side of the Meuse northwest of Verdun. The river bent around the hill on three sides and the German trench mortars on the opposite bank were able to enfilade every spot. The men cheerfully christened the perilous position "Whizbang hill." Finally the order was given to cross the river, drive out the enemy and capture the position called "Cemetery ridge." This the men say, was easy compared to the steady day and night pounding with shrapnel and drenching with gas during the weeks they held the hill. The regiment had been continuously on duty at the front for 42 days, which is almost a record.

Other units of the 33d division took positions along the river on the night the regiment made the attack. It was raining steadily, it was inky dark and the enemy was shelled furiously. It seemed to the men as if they were marching into the mouth of an open furnace. They were strung along in platoons in single file to prevent a single exploding shell from causing a considerable number of casualties. One platoon, however, was just passing a crossroads in a village when a shell exploded, hurling men in all directions and from all sides in the darkness came cries of the wounded.

Capt. Samuel W. Ritchie of Kentucky rushed up to the scene accompanied by Privates Charles Danloff of 1417 South Sangamon street, Chicago, and Clarence H. Peterson of DeKalb, hospital men, and began dressing the wounds of the shell's victims. Projectiles were still falling at the rate of 95 an hour. The Germans evidently expected an attempt at relief and were determined to prevent it if possible. Captain Ritchie worked in the darkness, which was

THREE DEATHS IN THIS CITY MONDAY EVE AND EARLY THIS MORN

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and three children, all of whom, with his widow, survive to mourn his passing. The children are: Herbert G., of Dixon; Harold L., who is serving with the U. S. Coast Artillery forces at Fort McKinley, Portland, Me., and Miss Nina I. Tennant, also of Dixon. A sister, Miss Nina I. Tennant, of Binghamton, N. Y., also survives.

CHARLES E. HARVEY

Charles E. Harvey, son of James Harvey, and an employee of the Grand Detour Plow Co., passed away at the hospital at 5:30 o'clock this morning after a week's illness with pneumonia, for treatment of which he was taken to the institution Sunday night. Funeral services will be held at the Jones' undertaking rooms at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, with burial at Oakwood cemetery.

The young man was born in Dixon, Sept. 21, 1900, and is survived by his father, his wife, a sister, and a brother, Edward, who is now serving in the national army at Camp Grant. The soldier had been ordered to entrain for Waco, Tex., tomorrow, but through the efforts of Col. W. B. Brinton, president of the Lee county Red Cross, he was granted leave of absence until 11 o'clock tomorrow evening, in order that he might attend the funeral.

GUS FALLEAS

Gus Falleas, the young Greek who has been conducting Thos. Kachos' shoe repairing stand under the City National Bank since that young man was called to military service, passed away at the hospital at 5 o'clock this morning, death resulting from pneumonia, after a short illness. He was about 25 years of age and had resided in Dixon about four years. He had no relative in this section of the country except a cousin at Moline, who has been notified of his death and who is expected here this afternoon or evening to arrange for the funeral.

lit only by the flashes of exploding shells. Twenty men had been wounded and 13 killed by a single shell.

It was daylight before the last man's wounds had been dressed. The bandaged men were carried into a cellar, which had been found in the darkness. The walls of the building above were struck by a shell and knocked down.

FIRST OLD GLORY ON BATTLE FRONT SHOWN

Flag Which Flew Over Vimy Ridge Soon After U. S. Entered War, Here

B-R. CLOTHING STORE

The first American flag which appeared on the battle front in France after the United States declared a state of war existing between this country and Germany, is now on exhibition in the window at the Boynton-Richards clothing store. Torn and dirty, it is indeed a memento of the great struggle, and will eventually find its place in the National Museum, at Washington, for V. E. Desnoyes, a traveling man, owner of this banner, announces he will present it to the museum after it has been exhibited in a number of cities he visits.

Mr. Desnoyes, salesman for the Ralston Shoe Co., gave the flag to E. O. Pritchard, an American who joined the Canadian forces in March, 1916. After the young soldier, who soon became a sergeant, was sent overseas, he carried the flag with him, ready and anxious for a chance to unfurl it. On April 19, 1917, the word passed down the line that the United States had declared war. The next day the Canadians were ordered over the top at Vimy Ridge. It was a victorious assault and after bitter fighting the Canadians were in possession of the Ridge and Sgt. Pritchard, happily pulled Old Glory from his pocket, fastened it to his gun-cleaver and stuck it over the dugout which he and his companions occupied. It was the first American flag on the battle front.

COUNTY AND TOWNSHIP FOOD ADMINISTRATORS ARE VOLUNTEERS.

"There prevails an opinion that county and township food administrators are receiving salaries," so Mr. George Higginson, Jr., chairman of district food administrators, Illinois division, Chicago, said today.

"I regret to state," continued Mr. Higginson, "that sometimes the highly efficient and very patriotic work of the district administrators is not properly appreciated. I believe that the food administrators would receive more hearty co-operation if the very unselfish work which these gentlemen are giving their country was more generally known. They are not only dollar-a-year men, but many times are put to expenses which they themselves have to stand."

TEACHERS ENTITLED PAY FOR VACATION

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may be legally required to make up the time. For a number of years it was held that when the schools were closed by an order of the State, or local board of health, the Board of Directors, or the Board of Education might require the teachers to make up the time lost.

A review of this entire question by the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the Attorney General has led to the conclusion that even though the state or local board of health issues an order for the closing of the schools, the schools must be closed in fact by the order of the school board, and therefore the teachers are legally entitled to their pay, if they hold themselves in readiness at all times to teach. This position seems just and fair to all. The teachers who must keep themselves in readiness to return to the schoolroom are at the same expense as they would be were they teaching. If the school board desires to keep the schools going, they may adopt the other alternative; by making daily inspections of the pupils, and exclude all who show symptoms of infection.

County Superintendent Miller recommends that this legal opinion be observed, as it supercedes the former opinion, which he gave to the press recently.

Many city and village schools in Lee county are now re-opening under "adequate medical and nursing supervision," and "daily inspections of the pupils." This is permissible now, as it always has been. In rural schools, however, daily inspection by a physician or a nurse is manifestly impracticable, and, generally speaking, impossible. Rural schools, therefore, should not re-open, until such time as the State Board of Health or the local board of health (probably through the Supervisor) grants the required permission; or, where the teacher has been instructed in school inspection methods, and is required by the proper authorities to apply the same.

The County Superintendent of Schools is still without authority to recommend the re-opening of any school that does not conform to the requirements of the closing order of the State Board of Health, as to "adequate medical and nursing supervision." When such releasing order, general in its application, is received, it will be communicated with the utmost possible promptness, to the school authorities, particularly in the rural districts, by the County Superintendent.

GIVES GERMANY NINE DAYS MORE

Charles Pratt of Tacoma, Wash., a former resident of Dixon, is here visiting relatives while en route home from Washington, D. C. Mr. Pratt, who is a prominent business man on the western coast, and who is well versed in national affairs, makes a prediction that Germany will have come to the allies' terms within nine days.

FOOD ADMINISTRATION NOW CONTROLS COFFEE IMPORTATION

Chicago, Ill.—Coffee drinkers will be pleased to learn that the United States food administration has taken over the control of coffee importations through the sugar equalization board. This has been done with a view of stabilizing prices and preventing profiteering and speculation by producing countries.

Mr. Landon Hoyt, resales manager of the food administration, Illinois division, stated today "the food administration anticipated conditions making for higher margin of profits to food producers and equitable prices to the consumer has come forward to protect the interests of all."

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The People Appreciate the Values Offered and Are Taking Advantage of This Great 15-Days Reducing Sale

Over 1500 pairs of Queen Quality shoes in military styles for ladies for dress, and also for Red Cross nurses in hospital and field work. In the Wellesley fashionable blucher last, consisting of the following colors: dark mahogany, cherry, khaki and light tan. Worth \$10.00 a pair. In the Great Reduction Sale they all go at

\$8.85

All ladies' and misses' Queen Quality boots and shoes in black paine kid, gun metal, dark tan and the popular "Growing Queen" or Recruit Boot, with military heels, for the young ladies. Especially made for this fall's trade to retail for \$8.50. In this Great Reduction Sale they all go at

\$6.45

Over 1500 pairs of Queen Quality ladies' and young ladies' very fashionable two-tone boots, consisting of black and white, two-tone gray, gray and black, dark brown with ivory uppers. This lot consist of the very highest grade of fashionable boots, slightly broken in sizes. Formerly sold at \$10.00. Your choice in this Great Reduction Sale at

\$4.85

GIVE YOUR ATTENTION TO THE FOLLOWING PRICES:

A splendid variety of over 2000 pairs of ladies and misses' boots in glaze kid, dull kid and gun metal. A fine line for durable wear and stylish 365 days in the year. Not a pair worth less than \$5.00 and some as high as \$7.00. All go in the Great Reduction Sale at per pair

\$3.85

Over 1000 pairs of young ladies school shoes, sizes 2 1-2 to 8. In dull colors as well as patent leather, with leather and cloth uppers. Good, durable and stylish, and suitable for dress also; worth \$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00 per pair. In this Great Reduction Sale they all go at per pair

\$2.85

Over 1500 pairs of ladies' patent leather and dull kid boots, slightly broken in sizes. All Goodyear Welt. Not a pair worth less than \$5.00. Half of them worth \$6.00. In the Great Reduction Sale, all go at per pair

\$2.45

All the children's shoes for boys and girls, including the best of makes, Goodyear welts as well as McKays, also Holland welts,

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Over 5000 pairs of the famous Bostonian De Luxe shoes for men and young men, the very latest lasts in dark tobacco brown, mahogany and black, in Cordo calf, genuine shell Cordovan and kangaroo. A selection of over a dozen fashionable lasts in bals and bluchers. Not a pair worth less than \$10.00 and many worth \$12.00 a pair. While they last in this Great Reduction Sale, they go at

\$8.85

A very fashionable lot of the famous Bostonian De Luxe shoes for men, in black, tan, mahogany and chocolate. Made to retail at \$7.00 and \$8.00. Great Reduction Sale price is

\$4.85

Over 1000 pairs of slightly broken sizes, all Bostonian De Luxe shoes for men, suitable for dress or street wear. This lot is especially worthy of your attention. The highest priced men's shoes in my store, but sizes are broken, consisting of ten different lots, ranging in price from \$7.50 to \$10.00. In the Great Reduction Sale I wish to close them out to the last pair, and you can have your choice at

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By Ad Carr



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SWEETS WITHOUT SUGAR

"Last year we Americans learned how to save wheat; this year we are learning how to save sugar—a saving for which there is a need most urgent," says the United States food administration. There are 120,000,000 allies to be fed, besides the millions of our fighting men, and the supply of sugar is sadly deficient. Consequently the old-fashioned sugar candies should be discouraged, but the food administration, through the Illinois educational division, encourages the use of available substitutes.

Recipes for sugarless sweets follow herewith:

- Stuffed Dates.**
Use the best dates. Remove the stones. Fill with peanuts, walnuts, sticky nuts, or any nuts available. Peanut butter makes a good filling that is different. Press dates in shape and roll in chopped nuts, coconut or a mixture of cocoa and powdered cinnamon.
- Stuffed Prunes.**
Steam one pound of prunes and remove stones. Stuff part of prunes, each with another prune; stuff others with chopped salted nuts, or stuff with a mixture of one cupful each raisins and walnuts and a few candied cherries. Another suggestion is to stuff prunes with stiff orange marmalade.
- Popcorn Balls.**
1 cupful sirup 2 to 3 quarts of 1 tablespoonful of popped corn vinegar
Boil together the sirup and vinegar until sirup hardens when dropped in cold water. Pour over freshly popped corn and mold into balls or fancy shapes.
Either honey, maple sirup, molasses, white corn sirup or corn sirup may be used.
- Peanut Brittle.**
1 cupful white 1 teaspoonful va-corn sirup nilia
1 tablespoonful 1 cupful freshly vinegar roasted peanuts,
1/2 teaspoonful salt halved
Cook the corn sirup, vinegar and salt in a saucepan until a little dropped in cold water forms a soft ball. Put the peanuts and this sirup into an iron skillet and stir until the sirup becomes a golden brown. Remove from the fire and stir in vanilla. Have ready a shallow buttered pan, pour candy in and spread out in a thin sheet. Allow to cool, then remove from pan and crack into pieces.

AMBOY

O. E. McIntyre, who resided on the west side, was injured last Wednesday while chopping wood when he tripped on a rope, used in his work, and fell under the falling tree. He was caught under some of the heavy branches.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Bergmeier and son of Freeport are living in the Congregational parsonage, having moved there Saturday. Mr. Bergmeier is an employee of the I. C. The parsonage had been vacant since the removal of Rev. Edwin Dawson and family.

Roy Tubbs has recovered from a severe attack of influenza.

Wayne Mason of Aurora was a recent Amboy visitor.

The work of the Red Cross was resumed Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. M. Egan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Finch who have been ill with influenza, are better.

The funeral of Wm. F. Wolcott was held from his home at Temperance Hill Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J. M. Burrows officiating. Interment was at Prairie Repose cemetery.

Karl Emery has arrived in France after travelling through England, according to a letter received recently by his wife, Mrs. Clara Weaver Emery.

John Erwin and son of Dixon were Amboy visitors Wednesday.

The funeral of John McFadden, who died at Miles City, Mont., was held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Patrick's cemetery, Maytown, Rev. Kirkfleet officiating. Mr. McFadden is survived by one brother, Charles, of Maytown, and five sisters: Miss Agnes and Mrs. James Ryan of Maytown; Mrs. Harry

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LETTERS FROM DIXON BOYS WITH UNCLE SAM'S ARMY REPLETE WITH CONFIDENCE AND CONTENT

FROM WILL LOFTUS

Under date of Sept. 29 Will Loftus writes to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Loftus:

Suppose you have been wondering why I have not written before. Well, it's just this way. I wrote a letter about the first of the month, and I got it back again. Guess I tried to tell too much and it did not get by the censor. Have not had a chance to spend much money. American money is such a curiosity over here that I hate to let loose of it. It's real money and I have it on exhibition most of the time.

Received your letters on the eve of going over the top on the big American drive, which you have no doubt read about. So I have had my first experience in going over and need have no one tell me what it is like. It was an experience I am not apt to forget very soon. We sure did give it to the Dutch on this drive and it was a brilliant victory for the Americans.

I am now in a base hospital, having played out on the drive. My kidneys have been giving me a tough game ever since going into the trenches, but I said nothing about it as I thought I would get over it. But they kept getting worse and the drive was too much for me. I managed to get there but became exhausted. I was sent to a field hospital and from there to another and examined and kept there a week, and then was sent here to a base hospital. Don't know how long they will keep me or what they will do with me here. The doctors at the last field hospital told me I was not fit for line duty, so don't know whether I will go back to my company again or not. I sure would like to get fixed up O. K. before I do.

Tom Lavell (of Amboy) and Dave came over to see me before the drive, but I was in the trenches and did not get to see them. Well, I guess I am out of news, so will close. Do not worry about me as I'll be all right and am well taken care of.

This is German stationery taken in a German town. I have also a German pipe Dad can put in the cigar store window if I can get it sent home; and also a pair of scissors for mother.

MORRIS ROSBROOK WRITES.

Chas. E. Miller has received the following letter from Morris (Choppy) Rosbrook, written from France under date of Oct. 4:

Your dandy letter of Aug. 11 just received, together with others. Was glad to get them. (Here the censor has scratched out two sentences, which, however, are readable: "Horace Ort was killed in action early this morning. Struck by shrapnel shell. Died instantly.")

Glad to hear of Tom's success at the ground school and hope it continues in the course while he is learning to fly. The boys sure do pull off some great stunts in the air over here. I can plainly see why they have to learn the fancy dips and tail spins since I have been here. It must be a fine sensation to have those anti-aircraft guns coming up at you and your only protection is a loop-the-loop or a fancy dip.

We are right in the thick of the fight now and the best of it is Fritz knows it. He is getting out of our way and we are going right through. Celebrated my birthday by sleeping in a German dugout on the old Hindenburg line. Feeling fine and eating as much as I ever did, judging from that you know Uncle is taking good care of us.

What is Billie Jones going to do when he gets drafted? They will never take him for over 45. Tell him that we have a good job for him over here, counting out cans of pork and beans, bully beef and tomatoes. We handle all brands that I am sure he is familiar with. Tell Ben Snyder the next time he drinks any pop out of a beer glass to drink one for me. I have been looking for Jake but have not run across him. I ran across Jack Sheehan and Duke Kennedy the other day. They are looking fine.

What kind of a time did you have Labor Day? That's a foolish question for me to ask. I ought to know when the bunch gets together. I suppose it rained, as usual.

Red Kelly found himself an Indian motorcycle in a salvage pile and I suppose by this time he is in Berlin. The only thing is that he has to stop at every pile now to find gas. He is having success, I guess, because I have not seen him for 24 hours, so I guess he is on his way.

Pershing has made a statement through the Stars and Stripes that he would pay for every shot fired after Christmas, 1918, so you will probably have me to pester with around the club about March 17. Duke Kennedy says he has a date in Dixon on St. Patrick's day, and by gosh I hope he fills it.

There must be some mistake about Lieut. Lewis being made a captain. That has not come through to him as yet, but he is in command of Headquarters Co., and we hope he will be made one soon. He is very highly respected and thought of by the men under him, and all through the regiment for that matter.

ILL AT STORM LAKE.

Austin O'Malley, a former resident of Dixon, is reported seriously ill of influenza at his home in Storm Lake, Ia.

Dear Folks:

Received your last letter; was glad to hear from you. I am getting along fine. The weather is much colder than it has been. Sleeping on the ground in our little tents is pretty cold.

The late war news is very encouraging. We received a donation of gun and tobacco from the Knights of Columbus yesterday. Surely I could get rid of the German lice and fleas. They are as blood-thirsty as the miserable brute, the Kaiser, and I hope the war lasts until we get his rotten old scalp.

I was on duty all last night. It rained and hailed and, believe me, it was cold and muddy. I can certainly tell you all there is to be told about war when I get home. We hardly ever know what day of the week it is. It will surely be a great change when we get back to civilization.

I saw J. Ham Lewis when he was over here. I remembered him since he spoke to our class in Chicago on Patriotism. He is a wonderful patriot. I noticed by the papers that he is a candidate for re-election. I hope he will be elected for he is one of the best men in our senate. Such men as he is, are the ones who see that we get plenty to eat, wear and proper fighting supplies. It is surprising to think how well we are taken care of, 4,000 miles from home.

I remember hearing my uncle, Phil McGrath, telling when he was captain of Co. G from Dixon and they were in the Spanish-American war, that they were poorly fed and cared for.

You spoke of some people at home being so indifferent in regard to the war. I do not see how they can be. If they know what a terrible war this is they surely ought to put their shoulders to the wheel and help push it along. If Uncle Sam had not sent troops over here when he did, sooner or later, American people would have lost their glorious country, their homes and their Grand Old Flag. Now that we are in the war, we will see that that Flag will float forever.

With much love,
LAWRENCE P. McGRATH.

Mrs. Lulu Heavens has received the following letter with King George of England's message to the American soldiers enclosed, from her son, Melvin Thurm, who is in England with one of the American hospital companies:

With the A. E. F., Liverpool, Eng. My Dear Mother:
Arrived over here all O. K. and surely had a fine trip. The country is grand but I don't like it as well as the old U. S. A. Things are much different from what they are in the states.

Well, dear mother, how are you? Hope that you are well and all right. How are all the rest of the folks? Tell them all hello for me. Have you heard from Lu or any of the rest? Tell Eds' and Pearl this will have to do for them, too, as I would have to write the same thing to them. Now, don't worry about me as I am well and all right and I am going to try and stay that way if I can.

We were out on a little hike yesterday and we surely did see some pretty places and some grand drives.

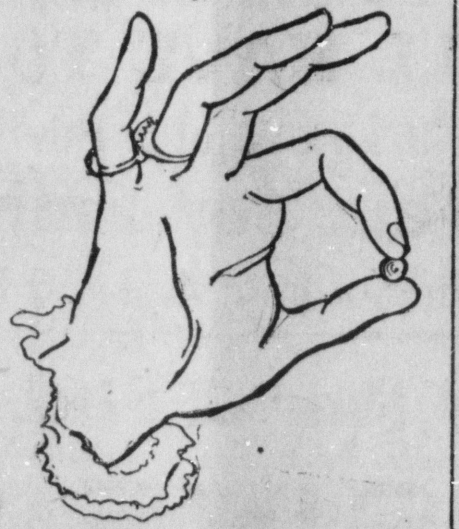
Write real soon as I surely would like to hear from you and the rest. Now do not work hard and go down to Luther's home this winter and stay with them, then I know you will be all right, and I won't have to worry, as I think of you all the time and in my dreams. I will close for this time, so take good care of yourself and do as I say, won't you? You can have Pearl and Eds' write to me with yours and drop Bess and Lu a card and they can write, too.

Will say good-bye. From your loving son,
MELVIN THURM.
Will be home by April. At least, that is the way they talk here.

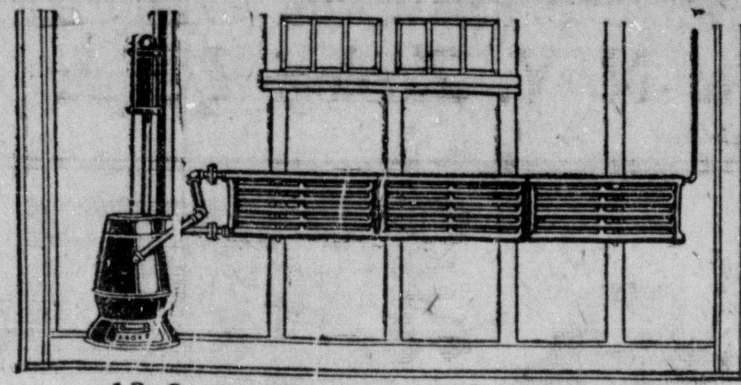
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SOLDIERS' LETTERS

good to me and all of us. We have got the Hun moving back on all fronts and I have seen myself many pieces of Fritz' artillery that he left in a hurry when we started this battle. About a half mile from our position at present are two big wooden dummy guns which the Kaiser tried to scare us with. They are about the size of a sixteen-inch gun and were blown all to hell with our fire as they take no chances on dummies.

Our guns also blew up a train-load of machine guns and ammunition which was just coming up to try and stop our infantry, and the whole train did not last five minutes. That's the way we are showing the German how our artillery can clean house anytime it wants to. And it's very interesting to see our aviators and the Boche fight. Our men brought down four planes right within our very eyesight and its just beautiful to see the Boche catch fire and come falling to the ground. We have the best air fleet and when the Boche comes over you can't hardly see him but our anti-aircraft guns start a pretty barrage all around the plane and he soon comes down or gets back over the lines where he belongs.

The other night we were bombed by about forty Boche bombing planes and also received some heavy shelling later from the enemy's artillery which kept us thinking about the old home for quite awhile. These are the things they do to try and scare us away, but you know we are not turning back. The only thing to move is the German and he's got to retreat to the place where he belongs. And that's not far away off either. The Illinois artillery has been recommended by Gen. Pershing for the fine work at the front.

Another thing, and something I can't get for a souvenir, is the whine of the shells that come your way. It has a horrible sound to it and keeps getting louder as it gets near you and then explodes, which means that it did not have your name on it. We had some pretty close shaves with shells in this scrap and were only saved by a miracle. Pieces of the shell were found all around the gun and we have plenty of them to dodge, believe me.

Well, the weather is getting raw and nothing like the old state of Illinois, but that's not what we worry about at all. We want to have the Boche out of France by the earliest time and we sure have got a good start.

The last of the mail I got had the pictures of the bunch who were at Phyllis' wedding, and was glad to see the familiar faces once again of my old friends and hope I may have a chance of seeing the magain some day when we all return from Europe. Give my regards to all my old friends and tell Mrs. Ward I received a letter and will not forget to write to them when I get a chance. I dropped Mrs. Stein a cord and also will write to them. Mother, it's impossible to write for many weeks at a time sometimes, so trust to God to keep me safe; if you don't hear from me don't get uneasy, mother dear, because I have seen three big battles.

There is only one place I can tell you of at present and that I and all the Illinois artillery was in, the big drive on Metz and Woeuvre on the Toul sector when it started September 11th. The barrage lasted 12 hours in rain and mud and we surely were pretty mud-covered soldiers when we got through, but the Boche was gone the next day, and the best of it was the French thought it never would be taken and to their surprise the next day told the story of what the vigorous Yankee could do.

I am getting along fine and trust I may return home as well as I am now. Love to all the family, and especially to my dear mother. From your loving son, CYRIL WILSON.

I received the Telegraph that Phyllis sent and am glad to see that Dixon is still there on top.

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A Shine in Every Place

Trap Gun and Rod

by Tom Marshall

The aces of the air! Our bird men are certainly a factor in the winning of the world's war. Fighting at dizzy heights or in the ocean's depths was an unconsidered phase of warfare in ye olden days. Most destructive fighting and balance of power are now developed in air and water.

To be efficient in battle and along the avenues of self-preservation, in either branch of the service, it is absolutely necessary to know leads, angles and velocity, hence expert wing shots are preferred operators.

Governor Whitman, of New York, has called upon the sportsmen of his state, through trapshooting and rifle organizations, for aid in training in marksmanship and gun handling the men subject to draft who have not yet been inducted into the service. The governor's object is to conserve the most salient factor as yet injected into the war—TIME.

The shot gun loaded with buck shot has become one of the most effective service arms extant, not only in the trench work, but mid-air duels. Prior to the call of Governor Whitman, many successful trapshots have been acting instructors at the schools of military aeronautics. The largest camp is at Austin, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Ad. Tupperwein, champion all-round shots of the world, are there teaching cadets the art of wing shooting. A battery of six Leggett traps has been installed. Twelve gauge shotguns of the pump and auto-loading trap patterns, are in use. The ammunition used in training is the regular trap load. Cadet shooting classes vary from twelve to fifteen hundred men, representing every state in the Union. An approximate number of two hundred shoot at twenty-five targets each day; the complete course of instruction runs 150 shots, divided into six days' work. This with the lectures and blackboard demonstrations, comprises a line of instruction, which enables students to understand and put into successful operation the necessary leads on flying objects. Less than 25 per cent of the cadets have ever shot over the traps, due to a lack of opportunity to learn this great patriotic game of outdoors. At this ground school engineering, observation signals and machine gun mechanism are also taught.

The necessity for a knowledge of wing shooting leads and angles is now recognized by the government. Every branch of the service utilizes the knowledge acquired. The air, submarine, trench warfare, with shot-gun auxiliary has caused the Hun to scream "guerrilla warfare," "unfair tactics," "ungentlemanly advantages." Yet Uncle Sam continues strafing them with this modern invention of the Browning brothers, which we were slow to adopt on the score of "regular army prejudice." Major General Franklin Bell was the first commander of the old school to sanction the use of the scatter gun during his campaign in the Philippine Islands, when it was necessary to dislodge those little brown hornets when hiding in the tall grass.

Under Tupperwein's direction, a tower 40 feet high was erected at Austin, a trap is set at the base of the tower which throws a target with great rapidity; the cadet is taken to the top of the structure and shoots at the flying target which is said to resemble an airplane skimming thru the air. The puts of dust caused by the striking of the shot in the rear of the moving object clearly demonstrates the necessity for shooting ahead or lead, when competing with velocity.

Prospective aviators or bird men are taught along the practical lines in wing shooting. It is remarkable how proficient and expert they become with little instruction. They are infatuated with the science of shooting and now talk of their gun club honors to be acquired upon their return to Uncle Sam's domain. The wonderful shooting of Mrs. Tupperwein, who has shot before and astonished millions of the American people with her skill, is a wonderful incentive to aspiring shooting candidates. The DuPont Powder Co. has placed in competition medals for the best individual and squadron scores, which elicits much competitive interest as they become the property of those proving successful in the finals. The Lewis machine gun ring sight, which is a ring within a ring, is used in demonstrating the necessity for lead and alignment, is of vast benefit to beginners. Let every expert wingshot become an immediate instructor at home. Team work and immediate action is the slogan.

FISHING.
The Red Gods are departing! The close of the fishing season is scheduled Nov. 1. With this article our fishing columns will discontinue until the fisherman's season opening in 1919.

The human family, like the migratory birds, are becoming restless and uneasy, preparations are now being perfected for the migration trip to the sunny south and temperate climes. The duration and length of man's pilgrimage, will be governed in the major instances by the length of his purse strings.

Indian summer has been followed by squaw winter, the rod supplanted by the gun. All nature has taken on the phase of migrating life. Game birds are heavily feathered and fit to

match conclusions with either climatic conditions are the hunter's wiles. Chilly, cold, yet bracing sephs come howling down from the north land rushing in advance, the feathered aces of the air, these are the halcyon days of the hunter. The kid gloved angler in company with his companions discussed scientific dry fly fishing, tackle, flies and methods. The rough neck fisherman recites the marvelous catches, time in landing some especial fish, being comphred by the strang back action, required to put the fish into mid air, giving the scaled beauty an opportunity to play to his heart's content on the sand reef, prior to packing him away in the gunny sack lying in the water near by.

The resort hotels, which cater in a great measure, to the descendants of Isaac Walton, have closed their doors and the windows are tightly nailed to exclude the sitting snows of the advancing winter. Guides have congregated at their regular hibernating quarters, there to discuss the "Fares" they have chaperoned during the fishing season. The generosity and peculiarities of all visiting guests is discussed and weighed up. The acquired souvenirs of boots, tackle, sweaters and fishing clothing is exhibited and exchanged, based on sizes. Fishing innovations and new-fangled tackle introduced is discussed and commented on as regards efficiency. The season is over, memory alone remains of a pleasant or non-successful outing. We pack on tackle away until 1919. A bumper of good luck to all anglers and fishermen.

ANSWERS TO NIMRODS.
Question: What are the prospects for fall shooting? Have you heard anything that sounds encouraging? Where in your judgment will be the best flight of birds?

STANWELL MARTIN, Circleville, Ohio.

Answer: Reports from the Canadian breeding grounds are most encouraging. The conditions have been exceptionally good for nesting and very large broods of ducks and chickens are the general report. The small ducks have started on their southern flight. Mallards, red head, sprigs, canvassback and other larger ducks are dallying in the north on account of the mild weather. A little squaw winter will start them south in great numbers. Old timers in the shooting game claim the flight will be of short duration, but exceptionally good shooting will be the order for a few days while the birds linger in this zone. It is difficult to guess the course the main body of birds will follow. The absence of water in the sloughs and bayous of the middle west may start the ducks on their coast routes. There is plenty of feed in most localities, plenty of meat and grass seeds, rice and celery a little short. Be on the grounds early and you will get good shooting, if properly equipped.

Question: How about the federal laws, do they permit shooting this fall? Is it necessary to take out a federal license to shoot migratory birds? Do the federal laws take precedence over the state laws? Which should I conform with in shooting?

Answer: Yes, the federal laws permit shooting this fall. No federal license is necessary. Federal take precedence over state laws. You should respect both federal and state laws and be on the safe side of the argument.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Clarence G. Pool to Fred Denekas wd \$1500 lot 6 blk 13 Compton's add Compton.

Arthur A. Anglemeier to Henry M. Chao wd \$1400 pt lots 21, 22, 23, 24 blk 3 Compton.

Wm. H. Buckley to Wm. E. and Anna F. Buckley wd \$650 lot 5 blk 5 Wyman's add Amboy.

HUNS BEG FOR MERCY FROM AIR

Washington, Nov. 4.—The German government today notified the United States that since October 1 its air forces have been under orders to make bomb attacks solely against "important hostile military objects" within the immediate operations of war on the assumption that allied and American air forces were to receive similar instructions.

Protests Raids By Allies.
The note delivered through the Swiss legation, protests that air raids have been carried out recently against seven German towns with loss of life among the civilian population, and that unless such raids cease, Germany cannot refrain from aerial attacks on allied territory outside of the zone of operations.

This was the first notice received by the American government that such orders had been issued to the German air forces, which have constantly raided defenseless cities and towns in France, Great Britain and Italy since the war began. The state department made public the German note without comment.

GRAND DETOUR.

Arthur Davis and family have moved from the island into the house recently vacated by John Warner.

Mrs. Caroline Remmers spent Tuesday at the Dr. Pankhurst home. Miss Maude Wood closed her home here Tuesday and went to Dixon for a few days visit before leaving for her home in Mason City, Ia.

Mrs. C. A. Sheffield was in Dixon Tuesday on business.

S. Purteeman is putting up a building for Hez Sheffield to house his engine and feed grinder.

Arthur Sheffield and family of Dixon spent Thursday here with his parents.

Mrs. S. Shook of Dixon has been helping Mrs. H. C. Earl for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. Pankhurst were in Dixon Friday.

Mrs. Louise Earl of Chicago came Friday to spend a week with Mrs. H. C. Earl.

Earle Portner and family spent Sunday at the Bend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Portner.

Walter Earl of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Earl of Rock Island and Mrs. Harriet Lilly of Rockford came Saturday to attend the funeral of Fred W. Earl, held on Sunday.

Miss Nell Sugget of Dixon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Rosbrook.

Mrs. Moser spent Sunday in Dixon with her children who are ill.

Ed Mon returned to his work in Oregon Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Tholen spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Caroline Remmers, who is ill.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Travis Sunday morning.

Charles Pyfer and family of South Dixon spent Sunday with Mrs. Pyfer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mumma.

MARKETS

Editor's Note—Because the quotations furnished by the various merchants of Dixon do not coincide, the Telegraph finds it impossible to quote all of the prices daily, and hereafter will quote only those prices which seem most advantageous to seller or purchaser.

Corn—White, 60¢; mixed, 58¢. Corn 100 lbs. 80¢ to 1.25.

LOCAL PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.
Cash & Car.

Dairy butter55 .61 .55
Creamery butter57 .63
Lard28 .34 .33
Eggs50 .56 .57
Potatoes1.35 1.75 1.60

LIVE POULTRY.

Springers18
Light hens17
Heavy hens15
Old roosters14
Ducks, White Pekin11
India Runner Ducks11
Muscovy Ducks8
Geese5
Turkeys16

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TIME TABLE

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R.
Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except when otherwise specified.

(Effective Sunday, June 1)		
No.	East Bound	West Bound
5	3:28 a.m.	6:45 a.m.
6	3:28 a.m.	6:45 a.m.
15	6:40 a.m.	9:15 a.m.
24	7:23 a.m.	10:40 a.m.
28	11:02 a.m.	2:25 p.m.
18	1:19 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
20	4:11 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
4	7:34 p.m.	10:30 p.m.
12	4:16 p.m.	7:35 p.m.
100	(Sunday only)	

No.	West Bound	Ar Dixon
5	6:50 a.m.	10:20 a.m.
19	10:30 a.m.	1:11 p.m.
17	12:15 p.m.	3:29 p.m.
27	3:45 p.m.	7:03 p.m.
11	5:00 p.m.	7:50 p.m.
25	6:40 p.m.	9:37 p.m.
1	7:10 p.m.	9:50 p.m.
3	11:20 p.m.	2:16 a.m.
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No.	South Bound	North Bound
119	7:22 a.m.	9:53 a.m.
11 Clinton Express	5:15 p.m.	6:21 p.m.
132 Ft. Dodge Express	7:30 p.m.	8:30 p.m.
20 Mail	6:21 p.m.	7:30 p.m.
Freeport Freight	7:30 p.m.	

TIME THE MAILS CLOSE

The following table shows the time of closing all mail forwarded from Dixon post office. Mail should be in the post office ten minutes preceding the locking or closing time to insure its dispatch.

No.	East Mail	West Mail
5	4:45 a.m.	9:55 a.m.
15	6:55 a.m.	3:50 p.m.
24	7:10 a.m.	6:40 p.m.
18	10:40 a.m.	2:45 p.m.

No.	South Mail	North Mail
119	6:55 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
131	4:50 p.m.	5:50 p.m.
132	7:30 a.m.	8:30 a.m.
120	6:21 p.m.	7:30 p.m.

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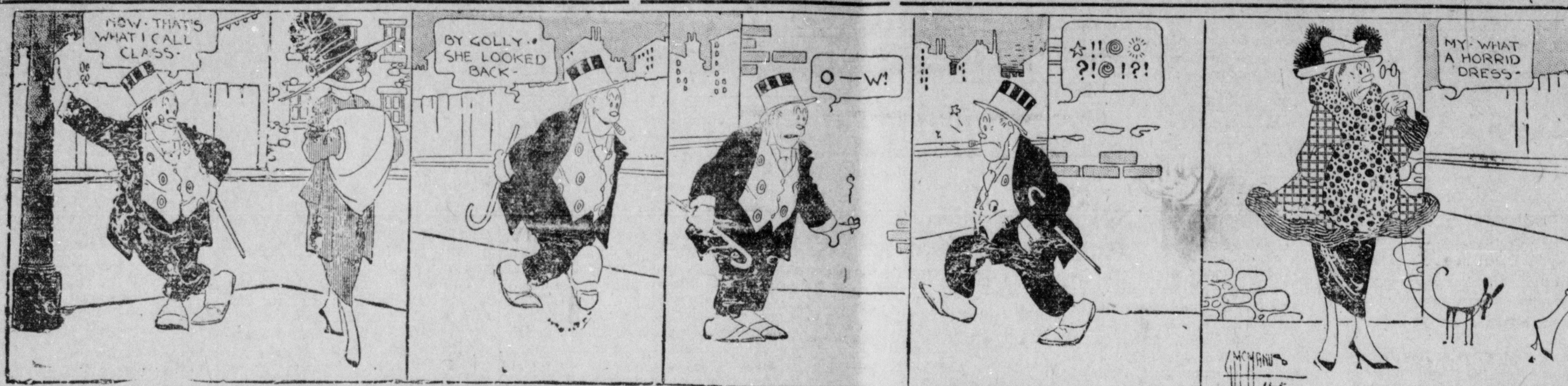
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4th.—If you are "trading" properties, see that the other fellow hasn't inflated the price of his property so that he gets yours for nothing.

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AND HE GOT REWARD

London, Oct. 31.—An army may travel on its stomach, but it's a bet that this army of ours—a part of it anyway—is travelling on its brains. This is the opinion, at any rate, of W. B. Sanders, of Batavia, N. Y., the Y. M. C. A. secretary at London Colney Aviation Camp, where the home atmosphere is brought to the fighters by the united war work agencies.

Alongside the Red Triangle tent at the camp is the officer's mess of a crack British regiment, which in these perilous times is doubly distinguished by having a chicken yard full of hens. War or no war, every day in the year each officer has his morning egg; and to insure this, a British Tommy is detailed to guard the precious hens, their precious fruit as well. Eggs are just now rather valuable in England. They don't feed them to ordinary soldiers—not even to our Yankee doughboys.

A few days ago one of our boys strolled into the Y. M. C. A. canteen, bought a box of biscuits, and then wandered aft to the rear of the tent. There he raised up the flap, and wriggled out of sight. As he had done this for six days running, Secretary Sanders grew interested in the

proceedings; and leaving the canteen he went on a tour of investigation. Just as he emerged from the tent uproar broke loose in the henyard.

On one side of the fence stood a British mess sergeant, and on the other side was the Yankee doughboy. The sergeant, once he saw the secretary, appealed to him. At the same time he made clear the mystery of the doughboy's daily doings.

The biscuits were for the hens—

one hen in particular. Each day the Yank had broken the biscuit into crumbs, and with the crumbs he had laid a trail from the corner of the henyard to the corner of the Y. M. C. A. tent. Then, under the flap he had a soap box filled with straw. The nest was a mere matter of unconscious suggestion. Seeing the box full of straw the hen had laid in it. For six days, each day the Yankee doughboy had had a fresh egg to repay him for his ingenuity.

GREATEST ACCOMPLISHMENT OF ITS
ITS KIND IN HISTORY OF WORLD

Associated Press Correspondent Tells of Landing of
America's Great Army in the United States Ex-
peditionary Forces' Port in France :: ::

American Regulating Base, Advance Zone, France.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—Warehouses stretching over several square miles, baled hay by the acre piled thirty feet in height and other vast quantities of supplies needed to maintain the American army mark this distributing center as one of the points where one obtains an adequate idea of the tremendous push America is putting into the war.

This vast accumulation of supplies is necessary to keep trainloads of food, clothing, ammunition trucks, wagons, wheelbarrows, medical stores and the whole range of the army wants, moving forward in a huge daily traffic with unvarying precision so that no division, no matter what its losses in material, need suffer.

Each warehouse is a hive of industry, with the supplies moving out from one side to the front, and moving in from the other side as the steady streams of supplies flow in from the American base ports so that the full quota always be maintained here.

At one point machine guns were being tested before going forward to the front. This was in the machine gun section of the ordnance park, with a vast array of these deadly mechanical devices. Squads of soldiers were making the final tests, and the rattle of guns sounded like an early morning skirmish on the firing line. Almost as noisy as the machine guns, were the machines for baling hay which stretched in long batteries like threshing machines, devouring the stacks of loose hay and turning it out in compact bundles for the artillery and cavalry horses.

Farther on the balloon sheds were turning out the big gasbags for use on observation along the front. These are assembled and packed and some of the parts are made here. Like

everything else the supply of balloons must be finally regulated here, depending on the number lost or destroyed along the front, and the varying activities of the different sectors.

Nearly 1800 German prisoners were at work piling fuel wood. It was a hot autumn day and the air was heavy and gray with the dust of the immense traffic going on. But the prisoners did not seem to mind the creature discomforts, but bent to their work with a will, while American guards with rifles ready stood at the summit of the huge piles of wood to see there was no slacking.

Another 700 German prisoners had arrived the night before, so soon there will be 2,500 of these workers handling picks and shovels instead of rifles.

This is the headquarters also for the salvage carried on at the front, and for the extensive system of sterilizing and delousing. As the vast debris of the battlefields is gathered up—broken cannon and guns, ammunition, harness, tentage, etc.—it comes back here in huge masses to be assembled and forwarded to the big salvage station at Tours.

The sterilizing system also radiates from here, and while the actual work is done at the front, yet the regulating is all carried on here, with stacks of clothing, underclothing, shoes, etc., moving forward constantly to meet the requirements of this systematic cleansing.

Gas attacks have developed the greatest need for thorough cleansing, for often after one of these attacks every stitch of clothing of the gas patients has to be destroyed, and all the blankets and equipment which have the faintest trace of the deadly fumes, and this in turn calls for a complete re-outfit of clothing and equipment of all those exposed to the gas.

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